

FISK IS ELECTED SPEAKER BY ACCLAMATION—PERKINS WILL WIN WITHOUT ANY OPPOSITION.

BOODLE WILL NOT WIN THE FIGHT AT SACRAMENTO

**Martin Kelly's Plan Knocked in the Head—
Scheme to Hold up Perkins' Election
Receives a Death Blow.**

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—The Perkins men elected Arthur Fisk Speaker with a rush this morning, forcing Dunlap to withdraw from the fight, and all the glory of the final combat goes to two Alameda county Assemblymen, Waste and Dr. Foster, and Ellis of Contra Costa.

When the Perkins-Fisk forces went to bed last night everything was lovely and the big fight was won.

But they reckoned without Martin Kelly, who has a genius for political jobbery, overnight. He keenly thought out a scheme for snatching victory from defeat and postponing the election of United States Senator until the 20th instead of the 13th of the month, thus getting an extra week in which to work with the boodle.

The plan was for the Dunlap men to offer a resolution in caucus declaring that 41 votes should be necessary to control the caucus.

Then, if the Fisk men voted this down, the Dunlap followers were to walk out and force a fight on the floor of the Assembly.

There the Dunlap followers were going to throw Grove L. Johnson into the Speakership contest in the hope that he could secure enough votes to deadlock the House and prevent organization.

If organization could be prevented today the election of United States Senator would be postponed one week more, under the law which says the first ballot shall be taken on the second Tuesday after organization.

It seems rather a wild scheme, but it scared George Hatton, John Lynch, Jere Burke, Walter Parker and the other Perkins leaders half out of their wits.

They knew that Fisk had only 38 votes and not 41 in that caucus, and if Dunlap forced a show of hands on a walk-out some of those thirty-eight might have been lost.

Then, when the Perkins caucus came on Wednesday night the Dunlap-Kelly-Burns men would insist on 61 votes for Perkins before the caucus could be considered binding, and there are not 61

out-and-out Perkins votes on that caucus call.

So Hatton stepped into the breach. He called up Waste, Foster and Ellis, all of whom were for Dunlap and all of whom are stout Perkins men.

The situation was explained to them and they saw how Dunlap was playing Perkins false, so they went to him and told him flatly that they would not stand for his program.

"Then you want to defeat me?" moaned Dunlap.

"Then you admit that you have not enough votes to control this caucus," asked Waste in return.

Dunlap finally admitted that his tales of enough votes to control the caucus were false and that his only hope was to put through Martin Kelly's scheme of a 41 resolution and then a walk out if it didn't carry.

"If you can't control the caucus you had better withdraw," said the three Assemblymen and they asked to be released from Dunlap's support.

Dunlap reluctantly let them go and they promptly reported to Fisk.

That settled everything.

McMartin of San Francisco, one of the Kelly-Burns men, got wind of what was going on and rushed to get aboard with Fisk.

Others piled over in the same direction and Dunlap announced his withdrawal from the fight.

Evidently he had anticipated the outcome, for in the caucus he seconded the nomination of Fisk in a speech that had been prepared over night.

And so the first great victory of the Perkins' forces was won without so much as a showing of hands.

Then there seemed a certainty that the caucus call would be signed by more names.

The sixty-two secured last night did not include Senator Leavitt or other well known Perkins' supporters.

Mose Gunst telephoned to Jesse Marks before noon that if Jesse did not at once get Senator Bauer and Assemblyman Susman to sign the caucus call that everything would be

off between Gunst and Marks.

As Gunst is very close to Marks and has done him many favors and as Marks absolutely controls Bauer and Susman, it is probable that those two votes will be added to the caucus call before long.

Gunst has been stimulated in his work for Perkins by Senator Matt Quay of Pennsylvania, who is a friend of Gunst and wishes Perkins elected.

In fact, with the boodling methods of the opponents of Perkins being exposed every day the honest legislators all will sign the call, because they cannot afford to rest under the suspicion of having taken some of the money offered for a vote for some dark candidate whom nobody dares to name.

Martin Kelly dies hard. Last night after Hatton announced that there were sixty-two names on the caucus call, Kelly loudly declared that some of the names were forgeries. He based this assertion on the statement that the name of Assemblyman J. R. Dorsey of Bakersfield was on the list, and that Dorsey had not signed the call.

Dorsey asserted that he had not signed, and the forgery yarn was spread as a back-fire for the Perkins' confidence and enthusiasm.

But Hatton never had pretended that Dorsey's name was on the call.

He had not signed and nobody expected that he would.

So Kelly's forgery yarn amounted to nothing.

And the confidence of the Perkins' men settled into certainty now that the Speakership fight has been won so easily, the anti-Perkins' men see they have no chance in the world to win and that if they remain out of caucus they will be considered boodlers.

So nearly or quite all the Republicans are apt to show up on Wednesday night, and settle the election of Perkins once and for all.

APPOINTMENT BY GOVERNOR.

PROMINENT MEN ARE NAMED FOR
OFFICE BY GOVERNOR
GAGE.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—The following appointments were announced this morning by Governor Gage:

William G. Lorrigan of Santa Clara to be Justice of the Supreme Court, vice Jackson Temple; Charles M. Shortridge to be Building and Loan Commissioner, vice E. D. McCabe; J. W. McKinley to be a member of the Board of Regents of the State University, vice Arthur Rodgers; L. J. Rose, Jr., of Oxnard to be a director of the State Board of Agriculture, vice L. Harris, resigned; William Land to be a member of the State Board of Agriculture, vice Park Henshaw, term expired; James Whittaker of Galt to be a member of the State Board of Agriculture, vice A. W. Barrett, term expired.

POSTMASTER NAMED.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Postmasters: Arizona—Milton Bohal, Nogales.

DUNLAP MADE GOOD .SPEECH IN SECONDING FISK FOR SPEAKER.

**GLAD HAND IS GIVEN BY BOTH SIDES
AT THE CAUCUS AT
SACRAMENTO.**

SACRAMENTO, JAN. 5.—IN THE CAUCUS OF REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLYMEN, WHICH CONVENED IN THE ASSEMBLY CHAMBERS AT 10:30 O'CLOCK, F. E. DUNLAP OF STOCKTON WITHDREW FROM THE FIGHT IMMEDIATELY AFTER HIS NAME HAD BEEN PRESENTED IN A SPEECH, SECONDING THE NOMINATION OF ARTHUR G. FISK OF SAN FRANCISCO.

FISK WAS ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION.

THE CAUCUS WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY BLISS OF ALAMEDA AND GROVE L. JOHNSON OF SACRAMENTO WAS ELECTED PERMANENT CHAIRMAN.

FISK'S NAME WAS PRESENTED TO THE CAUCUS BY ALLEN OF SAN FRANCISCO, DUNLAP BEING NOMINATED BY BROWN OF SAN MATEO.

DUNLAP MADE A MAGNIFICENT SPEECH, SECONDING HIS OPPOSITION, IN WHICH HE REFERRED TO HIS GREAT FRIENDSHIP FOR FISK.

FISK REPLIED, THANKING DUNLAP AND WAS THEN ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION.

CARTER OF LOS ANGELES WAS NOMINATED FOR SPEAKER PRO TEM BY MCCARTNEY OF THE SAME CITY.

BROWN OF COLUSA WAS NAMED BY DUNLAP.

BROWN WITHDREW AND CARTER WAS ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION.

THE SUCCESS OF FISK MEANS THAT PERKINS WILL WIN OUT WITHOUT THE LEAST OPPOSITION.

CLIO LLOYD AND STAFFORD WIN OUT.

SACRAMENTO, JAN. 5.—CLIO LLOYD OF SANTA BARBARA PRACTICALLY HAD A WALK-OVER IN HIS FIGHT FOR CHIEF CLERK OF THE ASSEMBLY.

HE WAS NOMINATED BY PYLE OF SANTA BARBARA, ATKINSON OF SAN FRANCISCO BEING PLACED BEFORE THE CAUCUS BY MOORE OF UINDINE.

ON ROLL CALL LLOYD RECEIVED 59 VOTES AND ATKINSON 1.

THE VOTE WAS FINALLY MADE UNANIMOUS.

STAFFORD WAS NOMINATED SERGEANT-AT-ARMS BY HIGGINS.

HE WAS THE ONLY CANDIDATE TO COME BEFORE THE CAUCUS AND WAS ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION.

FLINT WINS IN DUNLAP WAS JUST THE SENATE CAUCUS.

**Lewis Martin Is Elected
Sergeant-at-Arms
of Senate.**

SACRAMENTO, JAN. 5.—AT 10 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING THE SENATE CAUCUS CONVENED IN ROOM 16 OF THE CAPITOL BUILDING.

SENATOR SHORTIDGE WAS ADMITTED TO THE CAUCUS.

FLINT AND DEVLIN WERE THE OPPOSING CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT PRO TEM.

FLINT HAD TWENTY VOTES TO TEN FOR DEVLIN AND THE LATTER WITHDREW.

FRANK BRANDON WAS ELECTED SECRETARY OVER FRED THOMAS BY A VOTE OF 18 TO 14.

LEWIS MARTIN WAS CHOSEN SERGEANT-AT-ARMS WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

REV. W. C. MIEL WAS CHOSEN

ONE VOTE SHORT.

**Gives His Reason for
Withdrawing From
the Contest**

SACRAMENTO, JAN. 5.—AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE CAUCUS IN AN INTERVIEW WITH AN ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTER, DUNLAP SAID THAT HE HAD WITHDRAWN ON ACCOUNT OF THE FACT THAT TWO OF HIS SUPPORTERS WERE ILL, WHICH MADE HIM ONE VOTE SHORT.

THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE ON ATTACHES AND PATRONAGE WAS APPOINTED: STANTON (CHAIRMAN), BLISS, CROMWELL, DUNLAP.

IT WAS DECIDED TO INCREASE THE PATRONAGE OF EACH SENATOR TO \$20, AND THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE ON PATRONAGE WAS APPOINTED: MUEHLER, LEAVITT AND BELSHAW.

THE COMMITTEE WAS ORDERED TO REPORT AT 2:30 O'CLOCK.

JOHN MITCHELL IS RE-ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE SUPERVISORS.

**COMMITTEES NAMED—CHANGES MADE
IN SOME OF THE MINOR OFFICES IN
COUNTY—J. M. KELLEY IN OFFICE.**

At noon today the old Board of Supervisors adjourned sine die and the new board met and re-organized by electing Supervisor John Mitchell chairman.

The new board was called to order by County Clerk J. P. Cook and Joseph M. Kelley, the new member was introduced by W. H. Church, the retiring member.

"It is with great pleasure that I introduce the new member, Mr. Kelley," said Church, "and I hope that his relations with the other members of the board will be as pleasant as mine have been during the last eight years."

The introduction was received with applause.

Clerk Cook then called for nominations for chairman.

"It becomes a duty for some one to nominate a chairman," said Talcott, "and to me it is also pleasure. I, therefore, cheerfully nominate our old chairman, John Mitchell."

"We have a new member and I would do him that honor. I, therefore, nominate Mr. Kelley," said Rowe.

"I respectfully decline the honor, with thanks to Mr. Rowe," said Kelley. Horner seconded the nomination of Mitchell and he was elected. Rowe asking to be excused from voting.

In taking the chair Mr. Mitchell said:

"Gentlemen, I thank you for the compliment and I want to assure you that I will try to do my whole duty while I occupy the position."

The old rules of the board were adopted with the exception that the number of standing committees were

increased from four to five.

MITCHELL'S COMMITTEES.
Chairman Mitchell appointed the following committees:

Hospital Committee—Horner, Talcott, Kelley.

Public Buildings and Jails—Kelley, Horner, Talcott.

Roads, Bridges and Franchises—Talcott, Rowe, Horner.

Judiciary, Printing and License—Rowe, Talcott, Kelley.

Auditing and Finance—Horner, Rowe, Kelley.

Upon motion of Horner the resignation of C. G. Healey as poundmaster of Newark district was accepted.

SWAN RESIGNS.

The resignation of Bert H. Swan, who gained fame as "the man with the hoe," as assistant gardener of the Hall of Records grounds, was accepted and William Kelley was, upon motion of Supervisor Kelley, appointed to the position, at a salary of \$85.

NIGHT WATCHMAN.

J. W. Moore was removed as night

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FOOTBALL GAME DRAWS A LARGE CROWD.

HEESEMAN TEAM IS DEFEATED—RACING AT EMERYVILLE—RELIANCE PLAYS A TIE GAME.

The first of the California Association Football League games took place yesterday afternoon on the Twelfth and Madison street grounds. A splendid contest, between the Independents and the American-Indian Rifles, was witnessed by a big crowd.

The game ended in a victory for the rifles by a score of 4 goals to 0. Two of the goals, however, were very lucky ones, and had the ground been anyway level, the score might have been different. As it was, it was impossible to calculate on the bounce of the ball.

The first and last goals were due to real combination work and should be principally credited to Chambers, Leahy and Churchill. In fact, the last goal was one of the nearest little kicks Percy Chambers ever made.

Taking the game as a whole, it was pretty even, excepting that it was impossible to pass the A. B. R. back division. Williamson only had to save the goal three times during the whole game, and did it well, too.

In the attack the Independents were first class, but in both attack and defense, the military club slightly outranked the others.

The teams lined up as follows:

Independents — Afflick, goalkeeper; Smith and Melville, backs; Irwin, Solly, McClelland, half backs; Owens, right; McLubrau, inside right; Watt, center; Turnbull, inside left; Allison, left.

American-Indian Rifles — Williamson, goalkeeper; Forrest and Murray, backs; Douglass, Chambers and Pomeroy, half-backs; Russell, right; Lydome, inside right; Churchill, center; Leahy, inside left; Willis, left.

Referee, J. Gasson; line-men — R. O'Shaughnessy, A. B. R.; Glick, Independents.

HEESEMAN'S DEFEATED IN BALL GAME

SECOND TEAM LOST YESTERDAY TO THE LUCKES BY SCORE OF 2 TO 1.

The second team of the Heesemans was defeated by the Luckes in San Francisco yesterday afternoon by a score of 2 to 1. The game was lively and interesting throughout.

Following is the line up:

Heesemans — Phillips, center field; Haley, third; Gibson, left field; Carey, catcher; De Brunner, first base; Taylor, second base; Ellwell, right field; McGrath, short stop; Cox, pitcher.

Luckes — Thompson, short stop; Blake, right field; Glick, left field; Bunnell, third base; Wehman, second base; Berkholm, first base; Hansen, pitcher; Holmes, center field; Winslow, catcher.

The Heesemans will play the Alerts next Sunday.

RACING AT EMERYVILLE COMMENCES TODAY

AN UNUSUALLY GOOD CARD FOR OPENING OF THE FORTY-DAY MEET.

The racing activities have moved from Ingleside to the track at Emeryville and for a period of forty days there will be the following of the game held forth. The track and buildings have been put in excellent shape. Thirty new stalls have been added and extra trains to and from the Oakland mole will be run.

Today's card is an unusually good one and is as follows:

First race, two-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs—Miss Dividend

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Drug Store Makes these Prices

PERUNA, regular price \$1.00	Our Price 60c
BUFFY'S WHISKY, regular price \$1.00	" 75c
SWAMP ROOT, regular price \$1.00	" 65c
SWAMP ROOT, regular price 50c	" 35c
CAPILLARIS, regular price 50c	" 35c
COKE'S DANDRUFF CURE, reg. price \$1.00	" 65c
BROMO QUININE, regular price 25c	" 10c
BROMO SELTZER, regular price 25c	" 15c
AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, regular price \$1.00	" 65c
STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS, regular price \$1.00	" 65c
regular price 50c	" 35c
LA BLACHE POWDER, regular price 50c	" 30c

OSGOOD'S, 7th and Broadway

NATIONALS TAKE THREE STRAIGHT GAMES

DEWEY THEATER IS REORGANIZED

It made a victory of three straight for the Nationals by winning the ball game from the All-Americans yesterday afternoon across the bay.

The visitors played great ball, and their exhibition was witnessed by an unusually large crowd.

Sunday's contest went to the Nationals by the score of 6 to 5.

Saturday afternoon the Nationals won out by the score of 5 to 1.

DEWEY THEATER IS REORGANIZED

The event in local theatrical circles last week was the organization of the Dewey Theater management and stock company. Some months ago, Landers Stevens, who had built up the theater to a point of efficiency and popularity, decided that it would be more agreeable to him to devote himself entirely to starring instead of burdening himself with all the details of general management. He has since been making a pronounced success across the bay, while the Dewey Theater has been managed by Mr. Ed Chapman. The theater has continued to make rapid progress under Mr. Chapman's sole management, and he has signalled the opening of a new year by entirely reorganizing and enlarging the Dewey's Stock Company. He has also completed redecorating the interior and the foyer, and done everything possible to make the Dewey an ideal popular-priced playhouse.

Irvin Blunk and his wife, who have been leading man and leading lady for several months, have severed their connection with the theater, and it is said that they are shortly going to accept an engagement under one of the most prominent theatrical companies in the country.

Manager Chapman has procured several new stars, and intends to materially raise the standard of the plays, while at the same time maintain popular prices.

He has already engaged Blanche Douglas, who will open in two weeks' time in "Alabama" with a large stock company.

Last week, that most funny of all Irish comedies, "Pinnigan 400," will be produced under the personal direction of Mr. Mack, who with Mr. Murphy constitute the leading Irish comedian team of the day.

Tuesday evening, the Sons of St. George will be given a benefit performance at the Dewey, and the entire house is practically sold out already.

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM IRVINGTON

IRVINGTON, January 5.—The New Year's Ball given in Niles Wednesday evening by the Niles boys proved a decided success.

James Whipple is back in his old place at the warehouse, Irvington.

Miss Doherty of Rosedale is better.

Will Hirsch has moved into Clark's Building, where he will conduct his business for the future.

W. B. Cushing shipped two valuable Jersey cows to Oakland Friday.

Miss Mamie Gilmartin of San Francisco spent the holidays in Mission San Jose with Mr. and Mrs. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Babb of Concord spent Christmas in Irvington with relatives.

C. Rasmussen and wife expect to leave soon for Southern California to spend a few months and then return. Rasmussen, will attend to the business during his father's absence.

Ed Hugli is reported to be quite ill.

Ed Stridberg of Hayward was the guest of H. Cushing Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Emma Powell is the owner of a new piano.

Miss Josie Noll, who is attending the Normal at San Jose, is spending the holidays at home.

COACHMAN SAID TO BE POISONED

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Jan. 5.—James E. Bailey, a coachman, died under mysterious circumstances last night, and indications are that he was poisoned by drinking from a small vial of whiskey which contained a white sediment. On the bottle was a label completely hiding the contents and bearing the inscription, "Happy New Year. Have a drink with me."

According to Mrs. Bailey, her husband came home at 11 o'clock and after bathing remarked that he guessed he would take a drink from his New Year's gift. He drank about half an ounce and shortly after retiring he complained of cramps and remarked that he believed he had been poisoned. Mrs. Bailey aroused the police, and by the time assistance arrived her husband was dead.

Mrs. Bailey stated that when her husband returned from the barn where he was employed he brought the bottle with him, but did not tell her where he got it. The police authorities are now making an investigation at the barn.

FAST RIDERS TO GO TO EUROPE

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—In another month practically all the fastest cycle racers, sprinters and pace followers will start for Europe to compete at the principal tracks in international events, according to the New York Herald.

Frank Kramer will be among the tourists, and foreigners will for the first time have a chance to judge between the present American champion and "Major" Taylor, who is also going abroad.

The two tracks in Paris will be the scene of the most important races. On these will be decided all the big matches. A rich purse has already been offered for a special event between Taylor and Kramer. Among the pace followers who will race abroad are Elkes, Joe Nelson, Michael and George Leander.

Dr. Wong Him

The famous Herb Doctor, for 4 years past at 113-115 Mason street, San Francisco, has removed to 447 Geary, near Leavenworth. Treats all diseases of the human body. Testimonials at office.

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Great Staple Article Sale

It Opens Again at 9 a. m. Tuesday. Be There on Time.

has made a bigger hit than any other sale ever held in Oakland. We are selling our regular stock of staple articles at prices that seem ridiculously low—but we must raise a certain sum of money by February 1.

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Celebrated Horthrup Gloves; always \$1.50; first advertised at 85c.....	Derby-ribbed underwear; first advertised 38c.....
now 77c	now 34c
Shaw Knit Hose—a world known staple.....	Dunlap Crushers—swell hats.....
19c	now \$1.15

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Our guaranteed \$35.00 French Thibet Overcoat—perfect fit, finish and material guaranteed.....now \$18.50

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Great Staple Article Sale

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PLANT TREES AT PLEASANTON.

EARLY CLOSING AT LIVERMORE.

PLEASANTON, January 5.—The Foresters' trees have arrived and a committee has been appointed to make arrangements for the planting of the same at McKinley Park. A big time is looked forward to. There will be Foresters present from all over the State, and a good programme is being arranged. It is expected this celebration will take place some time during the last of January.

Mr. Frank Lewis, manager of Pleasanton, received a large tree cotta owl from a San Francisco firm this week. The bird will be mounted on the aviary at McKinley Park when that building is completed.

A good game of football was played at Livermore New Year's by our local team and the Livermores. The game was won by the Pleasantons; the score stood 16 to 6.

The car shortage still continues, causing the loss of many profitable sales to the warehouse men.

Mr. Frank Donohue and family have removed into the George Kibb cottage on Second street.

There is one thing noticeable in Pleasanton, and that is there is not a vacant house or room in our little town, showing more people are coming here to live and that the town is generally on the upward move.

The morning hours show plenty of life and bustle about the Pleasanton race track. There may be seen Monte Carlo (2:09 1-4), Searchlight (3:03 1-4), Lecco (2:09 3-4).

PERSONAL.

Fred Nagle has returned home after a few days' visit in the city.

W. H. Martin was in Alameda lately on a business trip.

Miss Irene Schuer is spending her vacation here.

Mrs. Downing visited her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Peck, at Niles this week.

Jerome Arnold visited in the bay cities the last of the week.

ASKS APPOINTMENT OF A GUARDIAN

Leola Edna Hamilton, aged 15 years, adopted daughter of W. T. Hamilton, the capitalist, and Mrs. Hamilton has filed a petition to have her fostermother appointed her guardian. The matter will come up before Judge Hall today.

Miss Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton own equal interests in the property on Thirteenth street occupied by Albert Brown, the undertaker. As the latter is about to move, it will be necessary to lease the property again. For this reason it is necessary to have a guardian appointed for Miss Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton have no children besides their adopted daughter. Some time ago Hamilton conveyed the property on Thirteenth street to his wife and adopted daughter equally. The property rents for \$200 a month. The petition for guardianship was filed through Attorney Fred L. Button.

DIED OF DIPHTHERIA.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Walter Haynes Brainerd, a member of the Produce Exchange and the firm of Brainerd

M'GOVERN MATCHED FOR A FIGHT

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Terry McGovern has been practically matched to fight Ben Jordan in London on Derby Night before the National Sporting Club, says the American. A side bet of at least \$5,000, at even money, will be made on the result.

Sam Harris, McGovern's manager, met Dr. Ordway, representing the club, regarding the match, and agreed to go abroad if the club's terms were satisfactory. Each now await a reply to a cable on that matter.

Dr. Ordway assured Harris that his wager would be accepted by Jordan's backers. He also agreed to arrange matches for Eddie Cain and Johnny Regan, two other fighters under Harris' management.

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BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

PRESIDENT MAKES ANNUAL REPORT.

WILL GIVE AN ACCOUNT OF YEAR'S PROGRESS OF THE UNIVERSITY TO STATE LEGISLATURE.

BERKELEY OFFICE, 2121 STANFORD PLACE. TEL. MASON 1781.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—The recent progress and the needs of the University of California, and its present attitude toward pressing educational problems of the day are discussed by President Benjamin I. Wheeler in his second Biennial Report just published. President Wheeler sets forth for the first time a new plan just adopted by the University for the lowering of the age at which University-trained men may begin the active work of life. He speaks against the movement to shorten the regular American college course to three years as a violence to the best interests of the majority, who are not to enter the university for the purpose of looking forward to a business career, or regard their college course as general preparation for life.

New plans are announced by President Wheeler for bettering the relations of the High School to the University. The entrance requirements have been simplified, and High School pupils are protected against too early decision as to the choice of a college course and a career. It is announced that hereafter the University will combine the Michigan or Minnesota with the California system of examining schools which seek accreditation. During the first half of each school year a new University officer, to be known as School Examiner will visit every High School which asks accreditation to inspect it as a whole. During the second half year, specialists will go from the several departments to examine the special departments. Thus both specialty and school as a whole will be examined, and the school will be recognized as one.

The pressing financial need of the University is set forth, and the inadequacy of the present means of support. Harvard alone of American universities exceeds California in the number of undergraduates, and only Harvard and Columbia in total number of students. A six-fold increase in the enrollment at Berkeley has been secured during the past twelve years. But the University's income has lagged far behind the growth in numbers and the all compelling demands for a larger instruction, for more shops, more books, and more scientific work to uplift all the activities of the State. The University's income does not expand automatically with the increase in students. When the State provided for the support of the University a permanent tax of two cents on each hundred dollars of assessed valuation. It was supposed that the University fund would grow with the growth of California. Experiences have shown, however, that the assessments represent a constantly smaller proportion of actual values. In spite of the rapid growth of the wealth and population of California, the University fund has not increased in value. In consequence the proceeds of the automatic University tax, remain almost stationary. Further financial help is therefore imperatively needed.

The gifts to the University during the last two years have amounted to more than \$500,000. The total of the assessments, and in consequence the proceeds of the automatic University tax, remain almost stationary. Further financial help is therefore imperatively needed.

NATION'S NEED IS MORE RELIGION.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—At the First Baptist Church yesterday, Rev. Richard H. Hays, pastor, preached an excellent sermon on "A National Need." Owing to the general interest of the subject, a larger congregation than usual was present to hear the scholarly address.

"The absence of a general religious influence," said Hays, "is a defect in our civilization. Even David Hume, the skeptic, said, 'Look out for a people entirely devoid of religion.' In fact we find that people, though they may ad-

vance in science, art and literature, yet without religion they will remain in a state of comparative barbarism. 'What shall we do?' said the founder of our own nation. 'Was our origin Deity or divine? Recalling the lives of our founders, we say that their religious inspiration caused them to come to America and start a new nation. Men who sacrificed personal gratification to higher ends found here our country.'

"Washington in his farewell address said: 'Both reason and experience forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail without religious principle.' Jas. R. Lowell remarked: 'The worst kind of religion is no religion at all.'"

"We are in the midst of threatening social and industrial relations. The family, which is the unit of the nation, is weakened by the toleration of laxity and vice. Home and its sanctity are being undermined by sentiments, which in some States have passed into legislative action. Go throughout the country, from city to city, and show me the place where husbands and wives do not tremble under the yoke of the law, but are sealed. You can not show me a single place in our entire land."

"The liquor traffic, confessedly an evil, though restricted by legislative action, is still given a tetter long enough to permit it to defile the neighborhoods of our land."

"What evils exist in our nation today? What has been displaced to make room for them? Is it not that religion which history has proved to be the backbone of every nation? The forefathers pointed out to us to be the mainstay of our nation?"

"Grasping selfishness instead of self-denial, the increase of the love of ease of our nation's weakness. That the nation needs an unselfish and abiding faith; a love for God which shall give to the nation a religious life with all its beautiful attributes is what our nation needs. Religion that will crowd out the love of gain and the love of ease. Religion is the stay of our country."

CELEBRATE THEIR SILVER WEDDING.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Preble celebrated their silver wedding anniversary last week at their home on Arch street. The house was prettily decorated for the event in silver and green by their daughters, Mrs. Chas. A. Bailey, Miss Hazel Preble and Miss Ethel Preble, who also formed the reception committee.

The guests were: Mr. Finn, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Henry, Judge and Mrs. Hancock, Mrs. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmy, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmy, Miss Mary Johnstone, Mr. and Mrs. Paris Kilburn, Mr. and Mrs. Clon Kilburn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keeler, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Knoll, Miss Lombardi, Mr. and Mrs. Lyser, O. V. Lange, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. Laughton, Misses Laughton, Captain and Mrs. V. H. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Maynard, Mrs. M. D. Marsh, Miss M. Overman, Lieutenant and Mrs. William Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Newcombe, Mr. and Mrs. Meserve, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Payson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Proctor, Captain and Mrs. F. Putnam, Mrs. F. Putnam, Miss Fanny Preble, Miss Florence Preble, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Parker, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pack, Miss Ethel Preble, Miss Hazel Preble, Miss Amy Preble, Mr. Charles Rickley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Robertson, Miss Kate Stafford, Mrs. C. Steiger, Mr. and Mrs. Sessalon, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. P. Thomas, Norman Stein, W. J. Trott, Mrs. H. L. Treat, Miss Nellie Treat, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webb, Mr. and Mrs. William Webb, Miss Kate Wasson, Miss Grace Wasson, Miss Kate Wasson, Miss Gertrude Wasson, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Wycoff, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Walker, Judge and Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. Cary Cushman.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bender, Misses Bender, Judge and Mrs. Bigelow, Mrs. Mary Bell, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. James Block, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Badgley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beck, Mr. J. V. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Bailey, Mrs. Lucy Bailey, Mrs. Bowman, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Allen, Mrs. Wm. R. Allen, Miss Edith Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bolander, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Boetting, Mr. and Mrs. F. Berryman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blythe, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cushman, Dr. and Mrs. N. H. Chamberlain, Miss Ethel Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mrs. Henry Chittenden, Mrs. Helen Chase, Dr. and Miss Carpenter, Mrs. Eva Carlin, Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle, Mrs. Ida Coady, Miss Kate Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Dakin, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dakin, Fred Dakin, Mr. and Mrs. John

FORESTERS HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—Court Grizzly No. 3772, I. O. F. have elected the following officers for the coming year: Past chief ranger, Joseph D. Layman; chief ranger, C. W. Woodworth; vice-chief ranger, Chas. A. Colemore; recording secretary, J. W. Flenn; financial secretary, R. E. McCabe; treasurer, R. H. Loughridge; orator, Samuel Baron; senior woodward, J. T. Sweeney; junior woodward, T. Gilson; senior beadle, E. A. Hersam; junior beadle, C. T. Clarke; trustees—J. D. Layman, F. W. Richards; finance committee—J. C. Rowell, E. A. Hersam; county deputy, J. C. Rowell; court physicians, George F. Reinhardt, F. W. Woolsey, J. B. Woods.

RECEIVES PRESENT FROM FELLOW KNIGHTS.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—O. F. Reynolds of the firm of E. H. Driggs has been presented with a gold watch safe by University Lodge, No. 162, Knights of Pythias of Berkeley, in recognition of his services to the order. Reynolds is a past chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, a member of Lincoln Lodge, No. 34, of Eureka, and a visiting member of the Berkeley organization.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—While cutting wood Saturday Albert Erickson, a 9-year-old boy, residing on Byron street, near Bancroft way, cut a finger off his right hand.

He was handling a small ax with his left hand, when it slipped, coming down upon the second finger of the right hand and severing it above the middle joint.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—Roy K. McPhail, a Senior in the College of Mines, and Miss Mabel Padova were recently married in Hollister.

The regular meeting of the Berkeley Benevolent Society was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. M. A. Helphinstine and daughter of 2224 Durant avenue left Saturday for a short visit to Chico.

S. S. Fulton, travelling agent for the Southern Pacific, was in town Saturday.

Dr. Herbert Briggs, the well known

pastor of the Central Methodist Church of San Francisco, preached at the Trinity M. E. Church Sunday morning.

Mr. Joseph Hume has returned from New York, where he visited at the Waldorf-Astoria as one season of pleasure. She will return to New York in the spring en route to Europe, where she will pass the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sessalon of South Berkeley has returned from a pleasant visit to the ranch of her uncle, Michael Casey at Milpitas. She will visit her uncle again next spring en route for Livermore, where a stay will be made with her brother, M. J. Massi.

INITIAL SERMON PARTY GIVEN AT BUNKO MAN AT OF NEW PASTOR WEST BERKELEY EMERYVILLE.

REV. E. W. DARST DELIVERS HIS FIRST ADDRESS TO NEW BERKELEY CONGREGATION.

TO T. NEUWIRTH, WHO SOLD SUPPOSED SMUGGLED CIGARS.

BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—Rev. E. W. Darst, the newly elected pastor of the First Christian Church of Berkeley, preached his initial sermon to the members of his new charge yesterday morning in Stiles Hall. The sermon was one appropriate to the New Year, and in the course of his remarks Mr. Darst said that he was glad to begin his work in a new field with the beginning of the new year. The address was optimistic in its tendency, full of hope and promise for a prosperous year and century.

"This is to be a spiritual century," he said, "when men shall grow better and stronger. I see in the signs of the times much to encourage us as a people and as a religious nation. The signs of the times point to a spiritual revolution. The great movements that are being made toward the protection of labor, the acts of benevolence that are daily being wrought by the rich, the endowments that are continually being made for colleges, museums, halls of music and art, the conference at The Hague, where hostile nations laid down their weapons of war and submitted their disputes to arbitration, the protection extended by the United States to the weaker countries—these are the signs of the times that point, I say, to a century of social, industrial and spiritual enlightenment."

Mr. Darst then spoke of the significance of the New Year. "It is a time for the strengthening of character—a time when we look within ourselves and make resolutions to lead more manly lives. It is a standing joke that New Year's resolutions are never kept. Never mind—it is good to clean house once in a while, even if the dust and dirt does get in again."

"January 1st is like a divide. We have worked our way up the rugged slopes, often getting lost and wandering far out of our way because we could not see beyond the rocks or through the trees. But from the summit we can look back. We can see our mistakes, see where we have gone wrong, and getting an idea of the land from our past mistakes, we can press on more sure of our way."

"I have come as a leader among you. Let us go down the divide together, trusting that the way can be made clear and that we shall not be lost. Let us give ourselves to the Lord for guidance."

"Today in San Francisco hundreds of business men are working taking an inventory of their business, to see if they have gained or lost through the past year, and how much. If they profit by taking this inventory they will shape their plans upon it for the ensuing year. Let us do the same. Let us take an inventory of ourselves and see just where we stand."

Rev. E. W. Darst is a native of Ohio. He was educated at Butler College, Indiana. In Baltimore and other of the Eastern cities, he has held important pastorates. For many years he was superintendent of city missions in Chicago. During the last three months since his call to Berkeley he has been traveling through Indiana and California. His wife and family are at present in Berkeley.

CONCORDIA CLUB, BIDS FAREWELL TO T. NEUWIRTH, WHO GOES EAST.

SOLD SUPPOSED SMUGGLED CIGARS.

WEST BERKELEY, Jan. 5.—Previous to his departure on his Eastern trip, Theodore Neuwrith was tendered a farewell party recently by the members of the Concordia Club and some of his friends. The affair was held in the rooms of the club, which were most tastefully decorated for the occasion.

The affair came in the nature of a surprise party to Mr. Neuwrith who was not expecting the honor. The evening was pleasantly spent by dancing, singing and music. At a late hour a supper was served and then the guests departed after wishing Mr. Neuwrith a pleasant journey.

Among those present were the following: Miss Genevieve Collier, Miss Lupe Cruz, Miss Roseline Morris, Miss Flossie Bear, Miss May Atkins, Miss Carrie Sarnstrom, Miss Josephine James, Miss Bertie Dale, Miss Agnes Thompson, Mrs. James, Will Bonakolsky, Fred Paine, Harry H. Juchack, William Mackie, Fred Bonkolsky, Edward Murphy, Edward Jones and Herbert Jones.

WERE MARRIED.

Miss Elizabeth McConnell, formerly a teacher in the West Berkeley school, was married during the holidays to Dr. Arroy A. Porter, an employee of the Southern Pacific Company at San Francisco. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. C. Stanford, in the St. John's Church of San Francisco. Upon their return from a honeymoon through the southern part of the State, Mr. and Mrs. Porter will reside in San Francisco.

LACERATED HIS HAND.

Charles Kelly, an employee of the Judson Powder Works, badly lacerated his left hand last week. Kelly is employed as a carpenter and was handling a rip saw when the accident occurred.

CRUSHED HIS FOOT.

G. Massoni, an Italian laborer employed by the Southern Pacific Company, had his foot crushed last week by a heavy rail falling on it.

ent in Santa Cruz, but they will move to Berkeley shortly to reside.

POPE LEO WILL HAVE JUBILEE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—On February 20th next Pope Leo XIII will celebrate his pontifical silver jubilee. It is proposed on that day by the International Committee having in charge the celebration that each family, parish, diocese and nation shall observe that day of thanksgiving to God for the long and successful reign of His vicar.

On that day a targa of gold will be presented to the Pope as the offering of filial love from all his children, and this will be worn by him on the anniversary of his consecration, March 3d. The targa is described as follows: The three crowns will stand superimposed in high relief, representing the triple power of the Papacy. The targa is surmounted by a cross.

EMERYVILLE, JAN. 5.—A clever confidence man, in the guise of a sailor just returned from a long cruise, successfully bunked several residents of Emeryville and some of the employees of the Judson Works last Saturday and he would probably be still continuing his game had not Deputy Marshal J. Carlin crossed his track.

The fellow came to Emeryville Saturday morning arrayed in a sailor suit and carrying a sailor's bag. His method of procedure was to select his victim and then calling him to one side confidentially whisper in his ear that he had smuggled some cigars through the custom house which he offered for sale.

The victim would notice the sailor suit, the features of the fellow tanned as though by the salt air and then ask to see the smuggled cigars. The fellow would open the seaman's bag and after rummaging around among curios and little articles usually kept by a sailor, he would bring forth several boxes of cigars which he assured the prospective purchaser were of the finest quality and could be purchased cheaply for the reason that they had been smuggled through the custom house. The telling of the tale usually resulted in a sale of at least one box of the cigars.

The fellow sold a quantity of the cigars to the workmen employed at the Judson Works and had disposed of several boxes to residents of Emeryville who quickly took advantage of the chance to smoke cigars flavored by having been brought into the country illegally. Deputy Marshal J. Carlin was then approached by the supposed smuggler and to the deputy he told his tale. After listening to what the fellow had to say and upon being shown the cigars, Deputy Marshal Carlin made known his identity and then asked if the cigars really were smuggled ones.

Without displaying a bit of concern, the confidence man said that they were not and even showed the label on the bottom of the boxes denoting that the goods had been manufactured in San Francisco. He frankly confessed that the smuggling yarn was told for the purpose of increasing the sale of the wares.

Deputy Marshal Carlin then explained that he would either have to take out a license for peddling or suffer arrest. The fellow thought that the former course was the best, but not having the necessary \$5 with which to procure a license, he left his bag of cigars at the town hall until such a time as he might return with the needed money.

The fellow then left Emeryville and so far has not returned for his license or cigars.

TRUSTEES WILL MEET.

There will be a meeting of the Emeryville Town Trustees tonight.

RACES COMMENCED.

The Emeryville track opened today and the meeting will last forty days.

PAY DAY AT THE WHARF.

It was pay day at the Emeryville wharf last week.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, ELMHURST, FRUITVALE

CAVE RECREAT AT HAYWARDS.

PUPILS OF MISS MERRILL PRESENT AN INTERESTING PROGRAM.

HAYWARDS, Jan. 5.—The closing recital of the year given by the pupils of Miss Merrill, took place recently at the home of Miss Ida Pimentel. The affair was a great success, and reflected credit, not only on the pupils but on the teacher, who so ably trained the young people. The program was rendered entirely by the pupils, who showed great progress in their work. The program was as follows: Roll Call Response, Rules for the Pupils, Sketch of the Life and Works of Handel, Selections by the Pupils, Paper Details in Music Study, Musical Game of Missing Words, Musical Charade.

A large number of friends and relatives of the pupils were in attendance at the recital, and all spent an enjoyable evening.

A NEW YEAR'S PARTY.

Mrs. G. B. Webster gave a New Year's party to her nieces, Miss Clara and Emily Dillon and Miss Percy Carter, one evening last week. The evening was spent at games, while an impromptu musical program was rendered. Those present were: Miss Clara Dillon, Miss Emily Dillon, Miss Percy Carter, and Henry Dillon from San Francisco; Miss Elma Mansfield and Miss Bertie Tucker from Oroville; Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Machin, Wm. Lawrence, Miss Maude Lawrence, Miss Mamie Ramake, Miss Myrtle Ramake, Miss Annie Gray, Miss Maggie Gray, Miss Elsie Ruppert, Miss Nellie Buck, Harold Mansfield, Harold Astell, Harry Buck, Jerome Gray, Jack Webster.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES.

The children of All Saint's Sunday School held their Christmas festivities recently. A program of musical and literary numbers had been arranged for the occasion, and was conducted without a hitch. The entertainment was arranged under the direction of Rev. Father Lally.

MT. EDEN VISITORS.

A large number of young people from Mt. Eden attended the dance and concert

GIVEN RECENTLY IN HAYWARDS BY THE FIRST REGIMENT BAND. THE PARTY FROM MT. EDEN INCLUDED HENRY OLIVER, MISS ELISE OLIVER, MISS LORRAINE OLIVER, ANDY OLIVER, MISS VERONA MEININGER, FRED WREDE, MISS EMMA SCHAFER, H. A. SCHAFER, MISS MRS. G. E. FETTERMAN, MISS N. C. NIELSEN, MISS LILLIE NIELSEN, MISS N. KENNEDY, HARRY LORENSEN, MR. AND MRS. J. ROBINSON, AMOS MEININGER, JAMES BIGGAM, GEORGE ROBINSON.

MASON'S ELECT OFFICERS.

At a recent meeting of Eucalyptus Lodge, F. and A. M., the following officers were elected: W. M. E. F. Gussen, S. W. C. P. Thomas; J. W. George Gray; treasurer, C. P. Grosse; secretary, H. E. Brunner.

JAPANESE INJURED.

A Japanese, who is employed at the home of Mrs. Angus, who resides between Haywards and the Castro Valley bridge, was struck in the eye yesterday by a base ball, and seriously injured.

It appears that the Jap was working in a field near where a number of small boys were playing base ball. As the Japanese stooped forward to pick something up, a ball thrown by one of the boys, struck the man under the left eye. He was rendered unconscious by the blow and did not regain his senses for some time. The eye was badly discolored but not dangerously injured.

A NATIVE SON.

A son was born recently to the wife of Fred Moore of Haywards.

A NATIVE DAUGHTER.

A daughter was born to the wife of D. J. Stewart last Wednesday.

PERHAM PLACE LEASED.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Horton have moved into their new home and have leased the Perham place to Messrs Williams.

OAKLAND VISITORS.

John Lawrence and children, of Oakland, spent New Year's at the home of Mr. Lawrence's father, William Lawrence, of this place.

C. DELIA VISITORS.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and son, of Cordelia, Sonoma county, spent the holidays with relatives in Haywards.

DAL HAWKINS SAILS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Dal Hawkins, the California pugilist, will sail for England on Wednesday to prepare for his battle in London with Jabez White, one of the best featherweights of Great Britain.

In White the American will meet one of the cleverest boxers ever developed in England. White has met all the best men in his class and fought them all.

POSTMASTER IS INJURED, FELL FROM HIS BICYCLE WHILE RIDING NEAR SAN LEANDRO.

DRO.

SAN LEANDRO, Jan. 5.—Postmaster Schluter of San Lorenzo, while on his way from San Leandro to his home one evening last week, met with a peculiar accident. Mr. Schluter was making the trip on his bicycle. Just as he reached the cemetery he suddenly lost consciousness and in that condition was carried to his home by two men, who found him lying near the road. Mr. Schluter is unable to account for the accident. It is thought that the man fainted and fell from his wheel. In falling he sustained many painful bruises about the face and body. One eye was badly discolored, while several of his teeth were loosened and it is feared they will have to be removed. Mr. Schluter will be confined to his home for some time from the effects of the accident, which came so near resulting fatally.

LARGE SHIPMENTS.

There is being shipped from the local cannery on the average of one carload of canned fruit a day. This fruit was packed last season and has been lying in the warehouse until ordered out from headquarters. Several men are engaged in packing the fruit cases into the cars and will be kept busy until the opening of the next season. It was rumored some time ago that the California Cannery Association proposed closing the local cannery, but so far no definite information in regard to the matter can be secured. The closing of the cannery would be a hard blow to San Leandro and would arouse considerable ill feeling against the Association. As the citizens of San Leandro put up a large sum of money to have the cannery located in this place, considerable trouble might arise should actual measures be taken towards removing the cannery. This rumor, and many others have led the residents to put little credence in the rumor. It is hardly probable after going to the expense of

SHIPPED HORSES.

E. B. Stone shipped two carloads of horses to San Diego from San Leandro last week.

OAKLAND VISITOR.

Joseph Ghiradelli, of Oakland, was a recent visitor in San Leandro.

A NEW SIDEWALK.

Mrs. L. Ivey is having a new cement sidewalk built on her residence.

ARE IN COMPANY.

The Misses Mary and Theresa Abel, who are making a tour of Europe, are now in Strasbourg.

NEW BUILDING AT LAKE.

Work on the new building, which is being constructed at Lake Chabot is now well under way. A carload of slate roofing arrived recently and is being moved to the lake.

BACK FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Mrs. R. T. Tanson has returned to her home in this place from San Francisco, where she has been visiting friends for several days.

MARYSVILLE VISITOR.

H. Reid of Marysville has been visiting friends in San Leandro during the past week.

TURF CONTRACT.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—A contract of great importance to the turf in this country and abroad has been signed, says the World. Under the terms of the agreement, Matt Byrnes, the well-known trainer, will have charge of the large number of horses owned by the wealthy Hungarian, Eugene Boros, who is closing his career. It is said, will receive \$10,000 a year as a salary, with an additional fee of 10 per cent of all money won.

Mr. Boros, at his trainer's suggestion, will build a stable and private training track on ground recently secured midway between Vienna and Buda Pest. In order that everything may be complete from his trainer's point of view, Mr. Boros has purchased a complete outfit of American saddles, bridles and other paraphernalia used around a racing stable. In every respect American methods will supersede the old world ideas and theories about thoroughbreds.

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PERKINS SHOULD GET EVERY VOTE.

There is no reason why every Republican in the Legislature should not cast his vote for Hon. George C. Perkins. On the contrary, sound reasons forbid members who value their reputation for voting for men whose candidacy has been masked by the furtive combinations of bosses and is tainted with the impress of boodles.

Stories of bribery have become so rife and the charges have become so direct and specific that any Republican legislator who refuses to vote for Senator Perkins lays himself open to suspicion. He cannot escape the just imputation of being in league with the men who are offering bribes. Any man—especially a very rich one—could not be elected in place of Perkins without creating the conviction that he had bought his election. Perkins cannot be defeated save by the corrupt use of money.

Mr. Perkins is the undoubted choice of the Republicans of California for Senator. Until after the Legislature was chosen there was no other candidate in the field—no other man was spoken of. He publicly announced his candidacy prior to the holding of the State convention or any county conventions. It was the privilege of any man who desired to be Senator to do the same, but none came forward. Senator Perkins was given the field to himself as a candidate, and by common consent it was conceded that the election of a Republican Legislature meant his return to the Senate.

The State convention endorses him, and in a large majority of the counties in the State the legislative nominees were instructed to vote for him. A majority of the Republican members elected are pledged to vote for him. A failure to do so is indicative of treachery and disobedience to instructions, if no worse. Under the circumstances, the act would carry with it a stigma, because it is a known fact that money is to be had for voting against Perkins.

As a matter of public policy Perkins ought to be re-elected. He has served this State well. He has been eminently successful in getting needed appropriations for harbor improvements and public buildings. The commercial, shipping and producing interests of California have found him an able champion. He is always in his seat, always attentive to his duty, and is ever watchful of the interests of his State. He answers the letters of every constituent however humble promptly, and is zealous in looking after matters in the departments that concern citizens of this State, but are outside the legitimate duties of a Senator.

The only objection that is made to him comes from office brokers and office-seekers, and what they say of him in no wise impeaches his usefulness and his integrity as a Senator of the United States. The means they have taken to defeat him are as scandalous as the motives which prompt the antagonism are sordid and unpatriotic.

The candidacy of Senator Perkins is not only endorsed by the people, but it is free from scandal, free from the domination of bosses or underhanded chicanes, and above all, free from the taint of bribery and corruption in the interest of any foreign corporation inimical to the welfare of California.

HOLIDAY RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.

It has been observed that the holiday season is noted for an unusual number of railway accidents. The two weeks ending with the first of January is exceptionally prolific of wrecks, collisions and other smash-ups on railroad lines. It would seem to be the most dangerous period in the year to travel, for things go wrong during that festive time with unaccountable frequency.

This suggests inquiry. Various reasons are assigned for the phenomenon, but none are wholly convincing. It has been pointed out that the nights are longest and darkest at that particular time of the year. Also, that it is in midwinter when tracks are apt to be in the worst condition, obstructed by snow and slippery with ice and wet. No doubt these causes greatly contribute to accidents, but they cannot be held wholly responsible.

The festive character of the holiday season may have something to do with the trouble. It is a time of conviviality and good-fellowship. The social instinct in man becomes more pronounced at the approach of Christmas. He stops to talk with his neighbor longer than he should. He takes a drop too much, or lingers till a late hour with friends at a cosy resort. The wits become a trifle befogged, the eyes a little dim, the hand unsteady and the memory uncertain. A dash of carelessness or recklessness completes the work cut out by forgetfulness or neglect.

The engineer gets on his cab sober and steady enough, perhaps, but feeling the effects of late hours and an extra glass. It may be the same with the conductor, the fireman and the brakeman. The locomotive may not be as carefully looked and looked after as usual. The track-walker may be a little unobservant. The switchman may take some egg-nog to keep him warm, or the watchman in the tower dream of the turkey that is stuffing at home or the Christmas tree that his wife is trimming for the little ones.

These are all small things in themselves, but collectively they mean a great deal in the operation of a vast and complex machine like a railroad, in which so many things are interdependent and contingent upon other things, where what one man does is guided or governed by what so many others do. A trifling oversight leaves undetected a weak place in the track, and a train is ditched by spreading rails. A momentary forgetfulness is responsible for a misplaced switch, and a train is wrecked. The telegraph operator forgets the orders, or the conductor fails to read them carefully, and a collision occurs. Little lapses in the ordinary affairs of life, but how fraught with tragic consequences in the operation of railroads! They are apt to occur more frequently during the pleasures and distractions of the Christmas-tide, yet that is exactly the time when travel is heaviest and vigilance most necessary.

The revelations as to offers of boodles in the Senatorial and Speakership contests would be more to the point if the names who are masquerading under the cloak of Colonel Mazuma were divulged. Having learned the ruling quotations on votes, the public would like to know who it is that is offering the cash.

The American Grocer states that the quantity of tomatoes canned in the United States in 1902 was double the

output of 1901. In 1891 only 4,518,221 cases were put up, while in 1892, 9,494,812 cases were canned. Maryland heads all the States in the quantity canned, her output being 4,514,392 cases, not quite half the total product of the whole country. More tomatoes are canned in America than in all Europe.

The merchants of Los Angeles have inaugurated a clean street campaign. It would be a good idea to inaugurate a similar campaign in Oakland. While about it, the streets could also be improved to good advantage.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Once a fisherman, always a liar.

A lazy man is always trying to work other people.

Luck is a combination of an opportunity and the man.

When money is tight the pawnbroker is apt to take the pledge.

It is easier to brag of one's future than it is to boast of one's past.

Though the wind is invisible the same cannot be said of a sight draft.

Stealing a march is not larceny any more than firing a servant is arson.

Horses are like eggs. It is impossible to tell what's in them until they are broken.

Talk is cheap, but when a young man is in love he naturally thinks the chier talker a little dear.

Naturally the man who leads a crooked life is unable to keep both feet in the straight and narrow path.

If the average woman knew what her neighbors say of her she would probably talk about them worse than ever.

The millennium will be at hand when people instead of asking what a man is worth, can find out by looking at his tax receipts.

Now doth the long-suffering husband try to devise some plan whereby he may escape the Christmas presents his wife is preparing to purchase for him at his expense.

OUR BOY.

His voice has grown suddenly gruff
And his clothes seem too short and too small;
He is making less noise than the rest of the boys
And he doesn't play marbles at all.

He has lately been wearing his necktie
And his hands aren't so black as of yore;
It seems very strange, but there's surely a change
That we never have noticed before.

His shoes are quite carefully shined
And the bow of his necktie is neat.
He has purchased a cane, and it looks rather vain,
But he's now wearing gloves in the street.

He sits up till 10 every night
And has positive views of his own;
Yes, he knows a great deal, we regretfully feel,
That he'll know less about when he's grown.

There's a little dark down on his lip—
He'll be shaving the first thing this morn'g.
He is suddenly shy when the ladies are near,
And before this he never was so.

There's improvement in certain respects,
But the change doesn't give us much joy.
Though at times, if we can, we may have a fine man
We are certainly losing our boy.

—Chicago News.

THE NEWSPAPER OF THE FUTURE.

Dr. Hillis Thinks It Will Drive Out the Magazines and Reduce the Sale of Books.

The age of the book and the periodical is fast disappearing, declares the Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, who visited Chicago Sunday.

Before many years, he believes the daily paper will have so reduced the sale of books and magazines of every kind that the two latter will cease to be printed.

"I look forward to the day, not so far distant as it may be imagined, when everything of interest will be published in the daily papers. The magazine articles of the future will be printed in the Saturday or Sunday paper. The works of fiction, the literary works, both lengthy and short, will be printed chapter by chapter in the morning daily paper.

"The time will come when the news of the paper will be so condensed that the business man may get the news of the country with his breakfast. He may read the first or the third chapter of the newest article of fiction and a discussion of the leading international question on his way down town in the car, or on his way to the office of conveyance is in use at that time.

"The newspapers are progressing in every way. To be a newspaper man means to be a college graduate, and the newspaper man must be reserved and silent, but brimming with knowledge of the world's events. The time will come when there will be one publication—the newspaper. It will be everything of interest, everything that will add to the knowledge of man."—Chicago American.

Barred by the Rules.

"Does our army in the Philippines use explosive bullets?"
"No, fill-busters are not allowed."—New York Times.

The Connection.

To speak of a "duck of a bonnet"
May seem rather meaningless; still
There's something in this, think upon it;
A duck has a pretty big bill.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O.

a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

PERSONAL AND TINGLEY CASE IN THE SOUTH.

ENGAGEMENT OF DAVID EDWARDS AND MISS BESSIE MARTIN.

One of the most interesting engagements of the season is that of Miss Bessie E. Martin and David Edwards, which has just been announced.

The young bride-elect is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Martin of New York, and for over a year has been the guest of her mother's cousin, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee of Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale, having accompanied Mrs. Wetherbee to California.

Miss Martin has been a guest at all the society affairs given here since that time and is a very accomplished girl. She took a leading part in the entertainments given by Mrs. Wetherbee early in December for the benefit of the Fruitvale Cadets, and is a clever amateur actress. The groom-elect is a son of Mrs. Henry Augustus Butters of "Alta Vista," Piedmont, and is prominent in society and business affairs, and is popular member of the Academy Club.

He comes from a distinguished family. The engagement is pleasing to both families.

PLEASANT PARTY.

Miss Claire Haelke gave an enjoyable whist party at her residence on Grove street last night. The room was elegantly decorated in holly and smilax. The score cards were dainty affairs in water colors and the prizes were carried off by Miss Mary Jessup, Mrs. Williams, Beach Dean and Ed Gaines. The guests included: Miss Alma Schroeder, Miss Ariette Hughes, Miss Wanda Clausen, Miss Mary Jessup, Ed Gaines, Beach Dean, George Jessup, W. Thompson, W. B. Standford, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver A. Harker, Mr. and Mrs. W. Westphal.

HOYT-SHERMAN.

The marriages of Miss Mabel F. Hoyt and Louis L. Sherman was solemnized on New Year's day at the residence of the bride's father, the Rev. N. F. Hoyt, 508 Telegraph avenue. The fact that the day was also the twenty-fifth anniversary of the wedding of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Sherman of Newcastle, added interest to the occasion. Another pretty feature was the celebration of the marriage ceremony by the bride's father, who, to the usual simple and impressive service, added, as father, blessing. Miss Albert Sherman, maid of honor and Ernest McDonald attended the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman will reside in Newcastle.

Among those present at the wedding were: Rev. N. F. Hoyt, Mr. Robert L. Sherman, Mr. E. C. Smith, Miss Albert Sherman, Stanton Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sprinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Gilly, Captain and Mrs. Dermont, Mr. McDonald, Ernest McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Smith, Miss Helen Smith, Mrs. F. S. Deltz, Norman Hoyt, Messrs. Ralph and Harold Sherman, Mrs. Horan, Mrs. Myrick, Mrs. Disher, Miss Carrie Disher, Misses Sadie and Crystal Sardavant, Miss Helen Flin, D. I. McDonald.

INFORMAL DANCE.

Among the pleasant New Year's Eve functions was an informal dance given by the Linda Vista people at the Piedmont clubhouse. The affair was given by a club, composed of the hill people, who meet every two weeks at the clubhouse on Wednesday being more elaborate than the regular members.

The clubhouse was effectively decorated in holly and greens, and a feature of the evening's enjoyment was the Dutch supper served at small tables, the menu including the characteristic sauerkraut and sausages. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Isom, Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Belcher, Miss Clara Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Butler, Mr. Garthwalte, Miss Helen Garthwalte, Walter Elmont, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Prather, Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Flinn, Messrs. Ruggs, Mr. and Mrs. Wickham, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. D. Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Borneman, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. Englehart, Miss Englehart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. E. Coffin, Miss Martha Coffin, Miss Alice Coffin, Everett Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. John Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. Weber, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McCray, Dr. Fred Davis, Miss Ruddock, Misses L. and M. Haven, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Carleton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dallam, Mr. and Mrs. Kennerly Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Eby and the Misses Eby.

SWELL DANCE.

A number of prominent society girls and matrons, whose names are to be kept secret, are making plans for a very elaborate dance, to take place on Thursday evening, February 5th, at Reed Hall, and will send out the invitations, which they desire shall be promptly answered. In a few days, the girls' list of names, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McCray, Dr. Fred Davis, Miss Ruddock, Misses L. and M. Haven, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Carleton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dallam, Mr. and Mrs. Kennerly Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Eby and the Misses Eby.

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WILL APPEAL CASE TO SUPREME COURT

Judge Hall has granted Levi J. Moran ten days in which to prepare an appeal to the Supreme Court in his suit to compel Emanuel Kirchhofer to sell him property at 178 Bristol street, Berkeley, for \$17,000. Kirchhofer, as a defense to the action, claimed that he was "rattled" by his many troubles when he entered upon the work. He claimed his property was worth \$2,500.

PLAINTIFF IS AGAIN CALLED TO GIVE TESTIMONY IN THE CASE.

SAN DIEGO, January 5.—Mrs. Tingley was recalled to the stand when the trial of her action against the Los Angeles Times was resumed this morning.

Samuel M. Shortridge, of defendant's counsel, continuing the cross-examination, asked in regard to the craftsmen at Point Loma and their peculiar uniforms. She said that the garments were not symbolic, but had been prepared for a corner stone laying.

"In the reading of essays by the students," asked Mr. Shortridge, "were you not referred to as a teacher and compared with Confucius, Buddha and Mohammed?"

"No, sir; I never heard of such a thing," answered Mrs. Tingley.

"Have you not heard yourself referred to by students, who compared you to Jesus Christ?"

"No, sir."

The cross-examination turned to thought waves. Mrs. Tingley stating that the reading of thought waves was not as described. A pure thought, she said, would influence others. "If I had a pure thought," she said by way of illustration, "I might influence you."

"If you had, Madame," retorted the lawyer, "you might."

Mrs. Tingley was asked if she accepted the doctrines of Mme. Blavatsky and William Q. Judge. She said she did. Asked if she was a theosophist, she replied: "I am trying to be."

"Theosophy teaches to be pure, unselfish and good—I am trying to be all that."

Returning to the portion of the defendant's deposition that had reference to her life in New York, Mrs. Tingley said she had bitterly opposed spiritualism but that she had accepted spiritualism to a certain extent. She absolutely denies the admission fees received from "character readings" formed a part of her source of maintenance.

"Do you wish to be understood that you gave all your time to charity work at this time?" asked Mr. Shortridge.

"No, sir," was the reply, "not all of it. I had my husband and my family."

"Who was your husband at this time?"

The plaintiff's counsel succeeded in excluding the reply.

"Did you ever tell Mr. Fitch, (as defendant's deponent) that his wife had not advanced far enough to be his companion?" continued Mr. Shortridge.

"No, sir; absolutely not."

"Did you discuss with him the secret of happy marriage?"

"I told him that our people on Point Loma were happy because they were living the right life. They were energetic and unselfish, while he was indolent and absorbed in himself."

Questioned about the diet list, Mrs. Tingley said she made it to bring fast list, but not the list for luncheon and dinner.

"Did you make out a diet list for babies?"

"No, but I made suggestions to the physicians."

"What did you advise them to do?"

"I advised them to put cream into what they were feeding the child, making the food more nutritious and feeding every half hour."

"How did you make this discovery?"

"In my work among the poor on the East Side, in New York."

"Are you the mother of children?"

"We object," said Mr. Andrews of plaintiff's counsel, and the court sustained the objection.

"Do you begin this system of feeding from the time the child is born up to when it is several weeks old?"

This question was also objected to and went unanswered.

The cross-examination had reached the deposition of Dr. Jerome A. Anderson of San Francisco, when the noon intermission was taken.

WERE MARRIED AT RENO.

DR. BRUGUIERE AND MISS MARY ANDREWS LEAVE STATE TO BE WEDDED.

Announcement has just been made of the marriage of Dr. Peder S. Bruguiere and Miss Mary Andrews of San Francisco. The ceremony was performed at Reno, Nevada, by a Methodist minister two weeks ago. Owing to the oversight of the groom in not providing a wedding ring the ceremony was delayed until midnight.

On the wedding trip the bride contracted a cold that developed into pneumonia and she has been a patient at St. Thomas Hospital since their return to San Francisco.

Dr. Bruguiere is a grandson of the late millionaire banker, Peder Sather, his father, Emil Bruguiere, was a prominent clubman. He came from an aristocratic French family, became a clerk in the Sather bank, and shortly afterward married Miss Josephine Sather, who brought him large holdings.

Dr. Bruguiere and Miss Madeline McKisick, daughter of Judge McKisick, were married in 1895 by Rev. R. C. Foute.

Some time after the marriage, Dr. Bruguiere and his wife separated and she went on the stage. On September immediately afterward the engagement of Dr. Bruguiere and Miss Andrews was announced.

DAVE WARFIELD AT THE MACDONOUGH

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This absolute statement includes all our ladies' and misses' tailored suits, coats, box, three-quarter and full length; jackets, including a swell line of Monte Carlos; silk dress skirts, a very handsome lot; capes and walking skirts, not excepting some lines that are not yet here two weeks; dress skirts of the most up-to-date; and even the macintoshes and rain coats for ladies, misses and children have been taken into the sale camp.

Tailor-made Suits—January prices are 5.95 7.50, 7.95, 8.50, 9.25, 10.00 and so forth. A few sample reductions are—

- 5.95**—Swell blouse suit of heavy cheviot; skirt cut with new flare; trimmed all over with festooned bands of taffeta. Former price was 7.50.
- 9.95**—Postillion blouse jacket suit, made of black cheviot, and trimmed with satin bands, velvet collar, remaine lining; seven gore flared skirt, finely trimmed with satin bands to match jacket. Former price 14.50.
- 14.50**—Norfolk blouse suit in black and white granite mixture with invisible stripes, cuffs, belt, pockets and shoulder strap; flared skirt finished with vertical plaits and fancy tabs. Former price 21.50.
- 17.50**—Strictly tailored blouse suit; full flared skirt with stitched bottom—a smart costume that was formerly 22.00.
- 19.95**—Snow-flecked blouse suit, trimmed throughout with stitched satin bands and diamonds of velvet. Former price 27.50.

Walking Skirts—These sensible-length garments made a great hit at original prices. The many good things offered at January prices will surely leave us quickly. Prices now are 1.25, 1.95, 3.25, 4.50. Just an idea or two—

- 1.25**—Oxford gray walking skirt; lap seams; two groups of stitching on bottom.
- 1.95**—Sensible walking skirts in Oxford gray or black; deep flounce stitched at top and bottom and finished with groups of three vertical spray tucks.
- 3.25**—Walking skirt; graduated flounce with stitching at head and bottom; lap seams; a quite stylish garment.
- 3.95**—Excellent line of walking skirts in brown, gray and Oxford; graduated flounce, with three tucks at top with stitched bottom.

All Dress Skirts reduced in same proportion as walking skirts.

Rope Portiers

Among the price-cut numbers of rope portieres are many of the most beautiful colorings and designs.

- Some reductions are:
- \$5.60 rope portieres for.....\$4.85
 - \$6.00 rope portieres for.....\$4.50
 - \$5.75 rope portieres for.....\$4.31
 - \$5.50 rope portieres for.....\$4.13
 - \$5.00 rope portieres for.....\$3.75
 - \$4.75 rope portieres for.....\$3.57
 - \$3.50 rope portieres for.....\$2.63
 - \$2.95 rope portieres for.....\$2.22
 - \$2.50 rope portieres for.....\$1.88
 - \$2.15 rope portieres for.....\$1.61
 - \$1.50 rope portieres for.....\$1.13

Battenburg Lace Curtains

A special lot of these handsome window dressings is priced for January at \$2.65.

These curtains are finished with inserting and edging. Come in Arabian or white and are regular \$3.50 value.

A Drive in Fancy Silkolines

About fifty patterns of fancy silkolines, 36 inches wide, regular 10c value, January price.....7 1-2c. You may not see advertised the item you wish. Come in and ask for it. A look through the store will bear fruit.

The Face House

THE H. C. CAPWELL CO.

Corner Twelfth and Washington Streets, Oakland

Our January sale in full swing all over the house

This unusual opportunity to the ladies of Alameda County to save their money, opened Friday, and since then our store has taken on a regular Christmas Eve appearance.

Our January sales are special only in this sense, that we put special prices on those lines of regular goods that we want to clear out before another season arrives; not an inch of goods, not a needle, is specially bought for this sale. It is a genuine under-pricing of good goods, for a definite, openly-expressed purpose. In some departments every article is reduced; in others it is only some special lines. But in any event there will be no misrepresentations and we stand prepared to fulfill to the letter and the figure every promise we make.

Table Linen Sets

The usual reasons for making January reductions do not prevail in this department. There is no special season for nice table napery. However, to carry our sale all over the house we have made these special prices on some special lines:

- Cloth 2 yds. by 2 1-2 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$6.75. Sale price \$5.50
- Cloth 2 yds. by 2 1-2 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$6.00. Sale price \$5.50
- Cloth 2 yds. by 2 1-2 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$10.00. Sale price \$8.50
- Cloth 2 yds. by 2 1-2 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$12.00. Sale price \$10.50
- Cloth 2 yds. by 2 1-2 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$7.50. Sale price \$6.50
- Cloth 2 yds. by 2 1-2 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$9.00. Sale price \$8.50
- Cloth 2 yds. by 3 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$9.00. Sale price \$7.50
- Cloth 2 yds. by 3 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$10.00. Sale price \$8.50
- all the above cloths and napkins are hemstitched.
- Plain hemmed cloth, 2 by 3 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$8.50. Sale price \$7.50
- 2 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$9.00. Sale price \$7.50
- Plain hemmed cloth, 2 by 3 yds.; 1 doz. napkins to match; reg. \$8.00. Sale price \$7.00
- Cloth with knotted fringe; 1 doz. napkins; reg. \$8.00. Sale price \$6.50

Children now want school garments

This January Sale includes the children's section—it will therefore be most pleasing news for mothers to learn—every child's and misses dress and every child's and misses coat in the department has without exception been reduced.

Children's Woolen Dresses—There is quite a good selection of those clever, durable woolen dresses that we have sold so many of, and there is prospect of lots of cold weather yet. January prices for dresses for little folks from 2 to 5 years now begin at 40c and they are largely reduced all along the line.

For little people from 6 to 14 years prices commence way down at 50c

Children's and Misses Coats
The prices on all these garments have taken a big tumble and these will last more than one season.

Children's Box Jackets—JAN. UARY PRICES 2.95, 3.75, 4.50, to 7.95.

Misses three quarter length Box Jackets—JANUARY PRICES 4.95, 5.95, 6.95, to 9.95.

Smart long Coats for Misses JANUARY PRICES—5.95, 6.95, 7.50 to 12.50.

Children's School Headwear
Children's Tam o' Shanter made of corduroy in white, royal, brown and green, JANUARY PRICE 1.15

Children's Camel's Hair Felt Hats, JAN. UARY PRICES, 75c, 90c, 1.00; were up to 1.50.

Children's Fancy Silk Hats, JANUARY PRICES, 25c, 50c to 95c; were up to 1.50.



January Muslin Underwear Carnival



We believe this to be the most beautiful lot of muslin underwear ever offered at special prices in this city. Our patrons who attended the first day of this great sale told us so. As many have already come back and made a second selection it surely needs nothing more than its value to commend it.

Every garment bears the label of the National Consumer's League—Oakland. Ladies know what that means. The special prices are not confined to any particular grade. It is a genuine carnival of generous prices and includes the good grades as well as the lowest.

To be a little more specific:

Muslin Gowns—At January Sale Prices 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c and advancing to a very elaborate garment at 4.25.

\$1.20—Empire gown with yoke of fine tucking and embroidery insertion; neck, yoke and sleeves trimmed with embroidery; would sell regularly for \$1.60.

Muslin Chemises—At January Sale Prices—23c, 30c, 35c, 40c, and up to \$1.00.



Muslin Skirt Chemises—at January sale prices—50c, 75c to 3.50

75c—A chic Skirt Chemise, made of good cambric; yoke, sleeves and skirts are finished with fine embroidery. This garment would be good at \$1.00

Muslin Drawers—January sale prices 23c, 30c, 35c, 50c to 3.95

50c—Umbrella drawers made of excellent cambric; flounce of lace insertion; lace edging; half a dozen good styles at this price.



Muslin Petticoats—January sale prices—25c, 35, 50c, 65c, 75c to 5.00

\$1.35—A specially good cambric petticoat with lawn flounce; trimmed with clusters of hemstitched tucks and lace insertion; lace edging; lawn dust ruffle; this is a regular \$1.75 value.

Corset Covers—a great variety beginning at 9c.

Misses' and Children's Muslin Underwear—Complete lines at Special January Sale Prices.

Fancy Waistings Tapestry Table Covers

Some very radical reduction work has been done here.

French Flannel Waistings.

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- 85c value to.....50c
- 50c value to.....35c
- Wool Plaid Waistings.....75c to 50c
- Fancy Mixed Plaid Waistings.....35c to 25c
- Metallized Velvet.....75c to 50c
- Fancy Cotton Waistings.....10c to 1-1-3c
- Fancy Cotton Waistings.....20c to 10c
- Fancy Cotton Waistings.....30c to 10c

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TROUBLE OVER A POSTOFFICE.

THE RESIDENTS DO NOT LIKE THE IDEA OF HAVING IT CLOSED.

INDIANOLA, Miss., Jan. 5.—There can be no mistake in the fact that a large portion of this community is considerably worked up over the action of the Government in closing the Postoffice here. The partial paralysis of business here, the feeling of the community, is being felt more and more. Today a private office has been established for the distribution of mail collected by an independent messenger service from Heathman and Greenville. Both of these postoffices are being closed with effect as a result of the closing of this office. The independent office here will be maintained at the expense of the citizens. No serious trouble is anticipated by the more conservative people, but precautions have been taken by both the city and county officials to deputize a sufficient complement of men, should the occasion demand. Postoffice inspectors are here checking up the accounts of the abandoned office. A large number of people publicly aver that they will not accept the negro woman as postmistress under any circumstances, despite the inconvenience which is being suffered. The night passed without special incident. Wayne Cox, husband of Minnie Cox, the negro postmistress, who is a clerk in the railway mail service, passed through here on his regular run last night, but would not discuss the matter. He has been in the Government service thirteen years and bears a good record. An authorized statement from the Mayor says the conditions are such that he would not advise Mrs. Cox to open the Postoffice. The Mayor further stated that if the situation at any time showed that the woman's life, liberty or property were in jeopardy, he would swear in a sufficient number of men to afford her ample protection. The undercurrent of excitement ex-

REED AND NUSBAUMER ARE APPOINTED

Public Administrator George Gray has appointed his attorneys and the plum falls to the law offices of Reed & Nusbaumer. Gray was elected to the office by 220 votes over J. J. White, the Democratic candidate, who has filed a contest to the election. Whether the contest will be pressed depends upon the snap tally which is being taken in the Rogers-Bishop recount. During the incumbency of Public Administrator B. C. Hawes the attorneys have been Snook & Church. The transfer of the business will place it in the neighboring offices of the newly selected law firm, which adjoin that of the former counsel. The income from the Public Administrator's office is on a fee basis, and it is worth about \$2500 a year to the Administrator. Now and then a large estate goes to that official, and measurably increases the earnings. The Administrator's fees are statutory. Reed & Nusbaumer are classed among the best probate lawyers in Alameda county. **GIFT TO HARVARD.** NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—A gift of \$2,500 to the Harvard Astronomical Observatory from the income of the Carnegie Endowment fund, has made possible an exhaustive research on the part of Harvard's authorities among the vast collection of photographic plates which the university has in stock, says a Cambridge dispatch to the Times. The gift, although small, will undoubtedly be succeeded by larger ones in case the research is successful, so that it promises to result in some of the most important disclosures, perhaps, that have been made in astronomical circles in many years. It is hoped the talked of "co-operative movement" among the Mormons does not foreshadow a Wife trust.

BUILDING PERMITS IN THE SOUTH

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 5.—With \$9,613,232 piled up as a total for building permits have been issued, but they few days of January, 1903, come in with a pace that surpasses the total for the full month of January, 1902. Since January 1st only forty-three permits have been issued, but they carry a total for future expenditures of \$531,800. In January, 1902, there were 335 permits issued, valued at \$560,302. The largest permit is for the Hellman block, calling for \$553,700. This is only the beginning, as it is understood that the permit for the Huntington-Hellman railroad building on Main and Sixth streets, valued at about \$650,000, will be issued today or Tuesday.

NEW ROUTE FOR ELECTRIC ROAD

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 5.—Surveyors are expected to begin work this week laying out a route for an electric railway to run from Washington, on the O. R. and N., through Ritzville on the Northern Pacific and Odessa on the Great Northern. The proposed line will be about forty-five miles long, passing through a fine wheat country and reaching three railroads. G. L. Lanchford is president of the enterprise, which is backed by residents of Ritzville. The cost is estimated at \$1,500,000. Ritzville is now said to be the largest initial shipping point for wheat in the world.

ELECTRIC MACHINE BREAKS. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—An electric machine which had just been put in place at the Yale and Towne works here burst while being tested yesterday, says a Stamford (Conn.) dispatch to the Tribune. The dynamo was making 3,600 revolutions a minute at the time. It had been running at top speed for ten minutes when the accident occurred. There were six or eight men in the room and huge frag-

ments of the machine, some of them weighing from 200 to 300 pounds, were scattered among them, but save for a rent in the trousers of one, they were untouched. The windows and woodwork of the room were badly damaged. The machine was to supply the works with power and until it is replaced operations will be practically at a standstill. The accident means a loss of many thousands of dollars.

ROADS IN IRELAND. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Representatives of the British Automobile Club are inspecting the roads in Ireland with a view to a race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, cables the Tribune's London correspondent. Parliament may be asked to pass an act which shall suspend the 12 miles an hour limit as regards certain roads during certain hours of a specific day, but this step will not be taken until a sparsely inhabited and otherwise suitable country has been found, on which the race could be run with the hearty concurrence of the authorities and the inhabitants.

The vent is exciting great interest in the automobile world, and challenges have been received from America, France and Germany.

BIRD COLER'S TRIP. CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Bird S. Coler, former Controller of New York City and candidate for Governor at the last election, arrived in Chicago last night with R. W. Jones, vice president of the Seventh National Bank of New York. They came to meet H. F. Hilliard, cashier of the Mechanics' National Bank of St. Louis, and Isaac H. Kempner of Galveston, Tex., who is also a banker, to discuss proposed investments in Texas. Mr. Coler will leave for New York tonight.

CROWD OF SPECTATORS. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—A great crowd of spectators gathered on the banks of the Connecticut river Sunday to watch the process of dynamiting the ice jam to save the great temporary bridge, says a Times dispatch from Hartford. At 10 o'clock a piece of ice was blown high in the air and, falling 200 feet away, struck Frank Stavelo, aged 11 on the head, fracturing his skull. He is now in the hospital.

where, it is said, he can live but a short time. He has not regained consciousness. The authorities find that there was no criminal negligence, but spectators are now warned away.

MAJOR ANDERSON WANTS THE PLACE

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—Major W. A. Anderson, a prominent attorney of this city, is seeking the appointment of United States attorney for Alaska, made vacant by the death of General Robert A. Friedrich. It is said Major Anderson has the backing of United States Senator Perkins and Justice Joseph McKenna of the United States Supreme Court.

MEETINGS AT THE CHESTER STREET CHURCH.

The drummer evangelist, W. H. Williams, preached morning and evening to large audiences yesterday. He gave an illustrated sermon to the Sunday School, which was timely and well received. At 3 p. m. he delivered a strong temperance sermon. Forty signed the pledge. His subject tonight is "The Sin Against the Holy Ghost." Meetings every night this week. All are invited.

TOBACCO CROP.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The tobacco crop of the Connecticut valley especially that grown in the open air, is not coming from the sheds in a satisfactory condition, according to the Times' Hartford correspondent and the prices which are being paid are considerably lower than the growers were expecting. The cold and damp weather of last summer was not favorable to growing the best quality of leaf.

Dr. C. S. Weston
Whose instruments and fixtures were destroyed in the recent fire at Twelfth and Washington, will resume his practice January 15th at the Central Bank Building, Rooms 303-310, third floor.

RESTORATION OF DROWNING PERSONS.

The following simplified method for the restoration of drowning persons, and of those who have lost consciousness through asphyxia or any other cause was developed by Dr. J. V. Laborde of the school of anthropology in Paris. It has proved efficacious in many cases. 1. From a leaflet which Dr. Laborde distributes among his pupils, and its publication now, at the beginning of the season, when accidents in the water are common, is believed to be timely. 1. As soon as the drowning man has been taken from the water, force open his mouth. If the teeth are clenched, separate them with the fingers, or by means of a hard object—e. g., a piece of wood, the end of a cane, the handle of a knife, or a spoon, of a fork. 2. Firmly seize between the thumb and the first finger of the right hand the end of the tongue, using your handkerchief, or any piece of linen, to prevent the tongue from slipping; then repeatedly, rhythmically, and with decision, pull it from the mouth and relax it alternately—at the rate of at least twenty times a minute, imitating the cadenced movement of expiration and inspiration. 3. At the same time introduce, far back into the throat, the first finger of the left hand, pressing upon the base of the tongue, so as to induce vomiting, and thus free the stomach of the water or food which encumbers it. 4. This treatment, the most efficacious known method of bringing back the respiration, must be begun without the slightest delay, and persistently continued for a half hour or an hour or more. At the same time all the usual remedies must be applied. Most important are the removal of the clothing, friction over the whole body, pressure upon the anterior part of the chest, the restoration of the bodily heat, and where it is possible, the application upon the region of the heart of compresses of very hot water. The same method may, and should, be applied in the same manner in all cases of asphyxia, of any cause, loss of consciousness, from whatever cause.—Harp-er's Weekly.

AS TO MIND AND MATTER.

When It Comes to Gate Receipts the Former Is a Hopeless Second. The debate is a form of rivalry between colleges which deserves public encouragement. Yet it is doubtful if Pennsylvania's victory over Cornell on the platform is held by the average citizen of this community to possess a tenth part of the interest that attached to the football victory on Thanksgiving Day. One contest attracted many thousands of people; the other but a few hundred. One was read about and spoken of by nearly every one; the other little concerns even those conservative individuals who hold themselves ready constantly to moralize on the brutalities of football and the vast advantages which would flow from the cultivation of a taste in college students for intellectual rather than physical emulation. Doubtless it will be a tedious work so to reorganize human beings that they will enjoy only what we think they ought to enjoy. They are eager to see and to hear about those things which entertain them, and a debate—even with the University of Pennsylvania students defending and winning out on a proposition to revise the protective tariff, pouring as it must seem, is a lame kind of sport. It lacks the exciting features which give zest to a football game. The contestants do not meet in a great mass, to be extricated, only to plunge again into a confused heap; with the thrilling pouring of losses and gains, which may carry the favorite team up or down the field to the goal posts. The debate must go on indoors, and the worst that can happen is for the orator to forget his speech, which is no great spectacle after all. Seldom have we seen so good a test of the respective drawing powers of a debate and a football game. The two contests have been lately witnessed between the same Universities, one taking place at Philadelphia and the other at Ithaca, and football has won. We will still hold that less of the physical and more of the intellectual rivalry would improve the character of higher education, but the argument all on the side of football, we judge the subject by the gate receipts.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

George Fred Williams must be given credit for making a valiant fight for principle. He surely could not have been making it for popularity.

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MEETING OF THE SUPERVISORS.

ROUTINE MATTERS HANDLED AT THE SESSION THIS MORNING.

The last meeting of the old Board of

Supervisors was held this morning and the entire Board, consisting of Supervisors Talcott, Rowe, Mitchell, Horner, and Church, was present.

CREDITS ALLOWED.
Credits were allowed prisoners in the County Jail as follows: George Lane, ten days; C. H. Moore, ten days; James Devaney, fifteen days; James Stevens, five days.

ASSISTED INDIGENTS.
Supervisor H. D. Rowe reported that he had assisted 131 indigents at a cost of \$15.50 during December.
Supervisor Talcott reported that he had assisted 134 indigents during December at a cost of \$248.50.

ROAD FOREMEN.
Reports of the following road foremen were filed: D. Jackson, Alvarado; F. W.

Meyer, Decoto; H. Gansberger, Mount Eden; E. H. Jensen, Palomares; F. Zimmerman, Murray.

EDGAR'S REPORT.
Justice of the Peace Robert Edgar reported that he had collected \$55 in fines and \$32 in fees during December.

TAYLOR'S REPORT.
Justice of the Peace J. H. Taylor reported that his fees for December had been \$10.25.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.
The application of Ensignal Camp No. 757, Woodmen of the World, for permission to erect a fence along the southern shore of the estuary from the Park street bridge to the junction of Broadway and Harrison avenue, was referred to Supervisor Talcott.

The Woodmen will hold a street fair in Alameda for eight days, beginning April 25.

LIQUOR LICENSE.
The application of John Dugan for a license to conduct a saloon at Newark was rejected, as it was made out under the form of the old ordinance. Dugan will be required to file a new application under the ordinance recently passed, which provides for local option in election precincts.

POUNDMASTER RESIGNS.
C. G. Healey of 2464 Mission street, San Francisco, presented his resignation as poundmaster of Newark district, and it was referred to Supervisor Horner.

There was considerable difficulty in finding anyone to serve as poundmaster at Newark, but when Healey was prevailed upon to accept the place several applicants made their appearance. Healey finally won out, but he soon grew weary of the position and his resignation is the result.

CAN ERECT FENCE.
Upon motion of Talcott, the application of the Woodmen of the World of Alameda for permission to erect a fence along the estuary for its street fair was granted.

INSANE PATIENTS.
Warden J. M. Page of the insane ward of the Receiving Hospital reported that ten insane patients had been admitted during December. Of this number, seven were sent to hospital and three were discharged.

A Lesson in Humility.
"When I was a young chap," said Major Charles Dick, who intends to be the next Republican candidate for governor in Ohio, if he can, "I got a lesson that has kept me humble ever since. I was studying law in an office, and, as was the custom in those days, I was getting nothing for my time except the opportunity to associate with the lawyers in the office and to try a few minor cases in the petty courts."

"I tried a case one day and I suppose I put on a bit. At any rate, an old man who had been sitting in the courtroom came to me after the trial and said: 'Charley, how much be ye makin' now?'"

"I told him I was a student and was getting nothing just then."

"'Huh!' he said, turning away: 'It strikes me ye purty well paid.'"
—New York World.

A Memorial to a Spanish War Martyr.
On Monday a bronze tablet was placed in the chapel at the Naval academy to the memory of Ensign Joseph Cabell Breckenridge, United States Navy. The tablet has the bust of the late ensign. Underneath is the following inscription:

"In memoriam Ensign Joseph Cabell Breckenridge, protomartyr of the war with Spain; born at Fort Monroe, March 6, 1872; washed overboard from United States torpedo boat Cushing February 11, 1898, while carrying dispatches to U. S. S. Maine in Havana harbor. Both sure and steadfast."

The tablet is bronze, 38x42 inches in size.—Washington Evening Star.

A Skillful Domestic's Costly Scarf.
Miss Sophia Eckdahl, a domestic employed by a Belvidere (Ill.) family, has just sold for \$1,000 a silk scarf which she was five years in making. The purchaser is a rich Philadelphia woman. The design of the scarf was learned by Miss Eckdahl in her native land of Norway and is over 100 years old. Although her hand-made lace brings such good returns, Miss Eckdahl continues in domestic service, devoting her spare time from household duties to her art. She recently sold a handkerchief to Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt for \$75 and another to Mrs. R. R. Hitt for \$50.—Indianapolis News.

M. H. DE YOUNG TELLS OF THE OIL OUTLOOK.

[Pacific Oil Reporter, Jan. 3.]

The outlook for the oil producer in 1903 is distinctly encouraging. During the year drawing to its close we have witnessed many advances towards that more general consumption of liquid fuel which is necessary to insure the producer a fair return for the commodity which is so rapidly displacing coal in this State. A careful estimate shows that, despite an expanding manufacturing industry in 1902, the imports of coal were cut nearly in half. The result of this was to keep in the State about \$2,200,000 which would have been expended abroad for fuel. This excellent showing, I am confident, will be greatly surpassed in the near future by a largely increased use in many directions. The railroads are becoming larger takers of our oil; our gas companies are using more and more every day; our dusty roads will absorb an immense quantity; it will not be long before every steamer sailing out of a Pacific Coast port will be using liquid fuel, and there is a good prospect of its successful employment in the reduction of ores. It is used quite freely at our mines to produce energy. This expanding demand, due to the multiplication of so many classes of consumers, cannot help but result in a greatly enlarged demand, which will enable the producer to earn a fair reward. I should not be surprised if in the very near future, instead of capping wells, all the good properties will be pumping day and night, and selling their products at remunerative prices. The growing consumption will easily absorb over 15,000,000 barrels in 1903, a quantity, I feel assured, the wells of the State will produce, and for which a good market will be found during the year. So, on the whole, I may say that the outlook is for a prosperous year.

M. H. DE YOUNG.

CAPT. ANDERSON A MARRIAGE IN IS DISCHARGED LONDON.

RELATIVES SUCCEED IN PREVENTING MARINER FROM GOING TO INSANE ASYLUM.

Fred P. Anderson, the aged sea captain, whose misfortunes have not come singly during the last few years, will not be sent to an insane asylum for the present at least. Judge Melvin this morning made an order discharging him as soon as the charge of disturbing the peace against him is dismissed. Charles H. Anderson, a nephew, who is engaged as a laborer in San Francisco, will take charge of Captain Anderson and care for him. If at the expiration of six weeks Captain Anderson seems to be mentally balanced, Judge Melvin will formally dismiss the charge of insanity.

Dr. W. S. Herford, who was a shipmate of Captain Anderson in 1880 on the sealing vessel Dora, testified that he had often been called on to treat the captain. He said he believed Captain Anderson to be the victim of misfortune rather than mentally unbalanced. Having been twice wrecked while he was in charge of vessels, and having suffered from privation and the loss of his hearing, Captain Anderson had worried a great deal and this, in connection with the untoward relations at home, had caused him to give vent to exhibitions of temper and nervousness that led to the suspicion that he was mentally unbalanced.

Captain Anderson was arrested two weeks ago Saturday on a charge of disturbing the peace. The evidence showed that he had attacked his wife and Wilhelm Eyeth, his employee. The latter swore to the complaint charging Anderson with insanity.

Mrs. Anderson stated that she would dismiss the charge of disturbing the peace. Captain Anderson is 60 years of age. His wife is many years his junior. They were married in 1892. Relatives of Captain Anderson opposed the application to send him to an insane asylum.

BURIED IN A TOMB.
Into a tomb of his own invention, as ingenious as it is novel, was consigned Saturday the body of aged John M. Pursell, who died on Thursday of apoplexy. Reading of instances in which it was shown that persons had revived after burial, only to suffer the untold agony of burial alive, had inspired in him a dread that he might become a victim of such a calamity.

Several years ago, therefore, he had a mausoleum constructed in Grandview cemetery on a high piece of ground fronting Grandview avenue and overlooking the cemetery proper. The five compartments, one each for Mr. Pursell and the members of his family, are in a row, about three feet from the ground, each opening from the outside. The compartments are solid iron, each large enough to hold a large casket, and running back nine feet into the hillside. From the back of each a small pipe runs to a main pipe, which resembles a chimney, where it protrudes from the top. This is so arranged that each receptacle is kept well ventilated at all times.

The masonry surrounding the receptacles is so constructed that a fresh current of air is always passing around each. The door of each compartment is arranged so that after the coffin is placed therein it cannot be opened from the outside, but by the simple turning of a combination knob on the inside, egress from the tomb may, in the event of premature burial, be easily effected.—Philadelphia Enquirer.

NEW YORK RESIDENCES.
The number of private residences that are being erected in New York for anybody but rich people continue to grow steadily less. Land values in the desirable residential section have increased so enormously that inexpensive residences are out of the question. In a fashionable section like Murray hill a building lot with only a 25-foot frontage is reckoned cheap at \$75,000, and the average cost of twenty-nine houses erected on such lots this year has been \$98,000 above the price of the land on which they have been built. These are reckoned only fairly good houses. Sixty-seven residences of a higher class erected this year are fetching from one-half million to \$500,000. It is reasonably safe to say that in no city in the world have so many magnificent private residences been erected at such enormous cost as has been the case on Manhattan Island, particularly during the last three years. And there are no signs of a diminution of the demand for them from the rich people who are flocking thither from all over the country.

WAR SECRETARY WINS A BRIDE IN THE ENGLISH CITY.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Mr. Broderick, the war secretary, and Madeline Stanley, daughter of Lady Jeune, were married at St. George's Church, Hanover Square, this afternoon. The scene was brilliant and the church was crowded with fashionable people. Premier Balfour was the best man. The bride, who was given away by her step-father, Justice Jeune, was supported by seven bridesmaids. There were upwards of 600 presents. King Edward gave a massive silver gilt inkstand bearing the royal arms. Among the guests in the church were Princess Christian, the Duke of Cambridge, Lord Lansdowne and other members of the cabinet; Lord and Lady Roberts, Sir Henry and Lady Stanley and Mr. White, the United States charge d'affaires. Public interest in the event was marked by the crowd outside, which was so great that people broke through the police lines and almost mobbed the carriages containing Lady Jeune and the bride, in their anxiety to see the latter.

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ASSETS	
1 Loans secured by First Mortgage on Real Estate in this State, bonds, stocks, warrants, and on approved personal property.....	\$2,145,825 00
2 Demand Loans on Collateral Security	\$410,000 00
3 Cash on hand and balances with New York, Chicago and San Francisco Banks.....	1,439,296 31
4 Bonds	1,549,296 31
5 Registered Warrants	14,178 10
6 Bank Premises (being actual cost of the lot and building on the N. E. corner of Broadway and 14th streets, Oakland).....	5,350 93
7 Safe Deposit Vaults.....	261,081 28
8 Office Furniture and Fixtures.....	81,095 91
	8,606 06
TOTAL	\$4,065,497 22
LIABILITIES	
1 To Depositors.....	\$3,466,710 22
2 To Stockholders	
a Capital Stock paid in.....	\$300,000 00
b Undivided Profits and Reserve Fund.....	261,255 67
3 Letters of Credit.....	561,255 67
	17,531 38
TOTAL	\$4,065,497 22
CENTRAL BANK	
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By H. C. MORRIS, Cashier	
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COLOR LINE AT THE BOOKER WASHINGTON LECTURE.

COLORED PEOPLE OF OAKLAND COMPLAIN THAT THEY HAVE BEEN TURNED DOWN BECAUSE OF RACE PREJUDICE.

Colored circles in Oakland are in a ferment over the Booker Washington lecture, which is to be delivered in Mechanics' Pavilion on January 8th. The charge is made that the managers of the affair have drawn the color line in the distribution of tickets.

The trouble has all come about through the efforts of the Twentieth Century Club of Oakland to obtain tickets on the club basis. When Mrs. George Ingraham, president of the Twentieth Century Club wrote to Mrs. Frederick Burk, who has the Booker Washington lecture under her wing, asking for 225 tickets on the club basis, she was informed that she could have them for \$1.00. There was some delay in delivery, and in response to a letter of inquiry from Mrs. Ingraham, Mrs. Burk returned the money and declined to send the tickets because she had just learned that the Twentieth Century Club was composed of colored people. Mrs. Burk stated that it would be an injustice to the colored people of San Francisco to specially favor a colored organization in this manner. She proffered twenty-five complimentary tickets, however, which she said was in accordance with allotments in San Francisco.

Mrs. Ingraham responded in a sharp letter, accusing the managers of the Twentieth Century Club of drawing the color line at gathering to be addressed by a colored man in the interest of colored institutions. She will lay the matter before the Twentieth Century Club at its

next meeting Wednesday night, and some hot talk may be looked for. Booker T. Washington is the president of the Tuskegee Normal Institute, a famous institution for educating colored youth in Alabama. He is lecturing now to obtain funds for its endowment and to enlarge its sphere of usefulness.

His lecture at the Pavilion is under the auspices of the women's clubs of San Francisco, and is primarily for white people, so Mrs. Burk says in her letter to Mrs. Ingraham. On the Sunday evening following Mr. Washington will deliver a lecture especially for the colored people at Zion Church. The tickets are sold in blocks to clubs, for distribution to those likely to be interested in Washington's scheme of education, at the lump price of \$5 for 150 tickets. The funds to aid the Tuskegee Institute are to be obtained from the voluntary contributions of those who attend his lecture.

No tickets have been sold to San Francisco colored clubs so Mrs. Burk states, but a certain number of complimentary tickets has been given to each one. In other words, the Twentieth Century Club, according to her statement, has been placed precisely in the same footing as the colored organizations of San Francisco. But the members of the Twentieth Century Club refuse to take that view. They say the color line has been drawn, and they resent it.

SENATE CALLED TO ORDER AND ORGANIZED.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—At noon today the Senate was called to order by Lieutenant-Governor Neff and immediately proceeded to regular business by the selecting of statutory officers as follows:

President pro tem, Thomas J. Flint; secretary, Frank J. Brandon; Sergeant-at-Arms, J. Lewis Martin; Chaplain, Rev. Charles L. Miel.

The Secretary then announced the appointment of the following assistants: Postmistress, Miss Callie Johnson; gate keepers, J. S. Cullen, J. S. Hall, and J. K. Vail; pages, William Lardner, Dorn Shields and Henry Weeks.

During the temporary absence of E. F. Mitchell of Fresno, D. G. Holt of Santa Monica was named as minute clerk.

A motion was then introduced by Senator Wolfe of San Francisco that a committee be appointed to notify the Assembly that the Senate was organized and ready for business.

Senator Lukens of Alameda, followed this motion with a concurrent resolution

and three Senators and four Assembly members be appointed to arrange for the inauguration and that the expenses of the ceremony be borne by the two houses out of their respective contingent funds and that the expense not exceed \$1,250.

Lieutenant-Governor Neff then appointed Wolfe, Caldwell and Curtin a committee to notify the Assembly.

On motion of Devlin there was then appointed a special committee of three to notify the Governor of the organization of the Senate and Devlin, Knowland and Sanford were named for this purpose.

Lukens, Devlin and Curtin were chosen a committee on inauguration and the Senate then took a recess of ten minutes pending the formal notification to the Governor of its formal opening.

The committee returned with the information that the Governor would send in his message in a few minutes.

On motion of Leavitt, however, the Senate adjourned until tomorrow morning at 11 a. m. when the second biennial message will be received.

RIPARIAN RIGHT AT STAKE.

TRIAL OF MRS. CLOUGH'S SUIT AGAINST THE SPRING VALLEY IS RESUMED.

Judge Greene formally denied a motion for a non-suit this morning in the action brought by Mrs. Jane R. Clough against the Spring Valley Water Works to protect her riparian rights as a minority stockholder of the Washington and Murray Township Water Company.

The Spring Valley Company's attorneys, M. B. Kellogg and M. C. Chapman, then commenced to put in their defense to the action.

Objection was immediately made by Attorneys W. R. Davis and T. C. Huxley to some of the testimony sought to be introduced, and most of the day was occupied in arguing the matter.

It is alleged by Mrs. Clough that since the Spring Valley obtained a controlling interest in the Washington and Murray Township Water Company, the latter's interests have been fraudulently subverted to those of the former company, and water that should be used for the land in Washington township has been illegally diverted to San Francisco.

The case has been in litigation about several months ago, but a formal denial had to be entered after the filing of amended pleadings and the rulings made on other motions.

The purpose of the meeting is to promote the cause of unionism in general.

The following speakers will address the meeting: J. P. Burke, president of Alameda County B. C. T., address of welcome; P. H. McCarthy, president of State B. C. T. O. A. Tretmoe, secretary of State B. C. T. C. V. M. Trace, first V. P. of State B. C. T. C. M. P. Manning, president of Ex. Board of State B. C. T. C. E. J. White of Santa Clara county B. C. T. C.

Ladies especially invited. At the last regular meeting of Painters and Decorators' Union 137, F. H. Mosher was elected business agent for the term of six months. On adjournment the union celebrated the New Year by an entertainment and smoker, and an enjoyable time was had. Several visitors from Local 13 of San Francisco were present.

ESTATE OF FAMOUS SWINDLER.

GRANTING OF LETTERS TO PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR RECALLS SERIES OF CRIMES.

Attorneys Snook and Church, who prosecuted and convicted Charles (Big Foot) Gordon, the famous gold brick swindler, in 1896, today secured letters of administration on his estate on behalf of Public Administrator Hawes about five minutes before the latter's term of office expired. The letters were granted by Judge Hall, who defended Gordon during his trial.

Gordon was one of a trio of clever swindlers who succeeded in obtaining many thousands of dollars by selling gold bricks to unsuspecting persons.

The story told by the trial was that an Indian had discovered a fabulously rich mine in the wilds of Nevada, but white men were not permitted to visit the mine by the Indians. One of the trio, F. Root, dressed in the garb of an Indian, was represented to have some rich gold bars which he would not trust to a bank, but would be willing to sell cheaply. As the supposed Indian would not go near white men others than Gordon and his associate, the negotiations had to be conducted through the latter.

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FOUND HANGING TO BED POST IN ROOM.

MRS. ALICE MAGNER WAS WEARY OF LIVING AND TOOK HER LIFE.

Financial troubles caused Mrs. Alice Magner, an aged woman, to commit suicide some time last night by knotting a silk handkerchief around her neck and then hanging from a bed post until death came by strangulation.

The suicide resided with the family of her son-in-law, E. E. McClaugh, 730 Filbert street, while her husband was seeking employment in the East. The husband left this city about a year ago where he had been unable to procure work. Worry over financial matters is the reason attributed by the family to the suicide of the deceased.

The body was discovered by members of the family this morning who hurriedly summoned Dr. W. W. Kegan. He made an examination and found that death had resulted some time last night.

No letter of explanation was left, but for some days past the deceased was worrying over her troubles. The deceased was a native of Iowa, aged sixty years. The body has been taken in charge of by the Coroner. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

The woman was identified as Amanda Stowell of 903 San Pablo avenue.

HAS CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—Senator Cullom, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, had an extended conference with the President today concerning the Cuban reciprocity treaty which is pending before his committee. It is his purpose to have a meeting of the committee on Wednesday to consider the treaty. He hopes to present a report either the latter part of this week or the first of next week, and as soon as possible afterwards he will move for his consideration by the Senate. Senator Cullom believes that while some opposition to the treaty has developed, it will be ratified.

GETTING READY TO MAKE LAWS.

PIERRE, S. D., January 5.—Nearly all the members of the general assembly have arrived in the city and the work of organizing the two houses is going on rapidly. The membership of the house is about the only thing that is settled. Justice Brown of Brown county, is conceded the election. The matter of removing the capital from Pierre is receiving the general attention of the two branches and Mitchell and Huron are strong candidates should the removal be decided upon.

WILLING TO BE A CANDIDATE.

CLEVELAND, O., January 5.—Colonel Myron T. Herrick, when asked by a representative of the Associated Press today if he would be a candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, said: "If the Republicans of Ohio should request me to be their candidate for Governor this year, I shall accept their nomination, fully appreciating the duties and grave responsibilities of that high office."

DO NOT LIKE THE NEGRO POSTMASTER.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—Senator McLaurin of Mississippi conferred with Postmaster-General Payne on the subject of the removal of the negro postmaster from the office at Indianola, Miss., where the Post office has been closed as a result of the antagonism to the negro postmaster. Senator McLaurin stated that he believed the office would be re-opened this week. Mr. Payne said that the office will be re-opened if there is no intimidation of the postmaster.

WAR DEPARTMENT PREPARES STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—The Bureau of Insular Affairs of the War Department has prepared for publication a comparative statement showing that for the ten months ended October 31st, 1902, the customs revenues of the Philippines were \$7,455,556, against \$6,921,553 in 1901 and \$3,758,994 in 1899. The figures represent the total customs house receipts, expressed in United States currency value.

COLLECTOR OF PORT WAS JUSTIFIED.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—In an opinion handed down by Justice Brown today, the Supreme Court of the United States decided in the Brown case that the \$10,000 fine levied by the Russian Government on sugar exported is a bounty and that the Collector of Customs at New York was justified in levying a countervailing duty on Russian sugar in the terms of the Dingley law.

W. S. HARLOW WILL OPEN AN OFFICE.

W. S. Harlow, who for many years has been under Sheriff and who retired from office today, has opened an office in Max Marcuse's place on Broadway, between Eighth and Ninth streets. Mr. Harlow has a host of friends in Alameda county.

CITY WILL GO INTO COAL BUSINESS.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 5.—The city of Detroit is going into the coal business and will supply the people with coal at cost prices.

JEALOUSY CAUSE OF SHOOTING IN SOUTH.

TWO YOUNG MEN WERE INFATUATED WITH THEIR LANDLADY.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 5.—J. Marlon Brittain was shot and probably fatally wounded this morning by I. B. Truesdell.

Jealousy over Mrs. F. M. Ross, the landlady of the house at which they both occupied rooms, is reported as the motive for the attempted murder. Both of them are under 21 years of age.

This morning Brittain went to work early, as usual, but returned to the house a few minutes before noon. Going to Mrs. Ross' room he found it unoccupied and at once went upstairs to the room occupied by Truesdell.

Opening the door he went inside. Truesdell was in bed. Going to a closet door he opened that and Mrs. Ross was found inside.

He seized her by the hair and dragged her out, at the same time striking her in the face. Truesdell went to the woman's assistance, when he says Brittain struck at him, and he then drew his revolver and fired at short range, the bullet striking Brittain full in the breast, just over the heart and penetrating the cavity.

Mrs. Ross, the alleged cause of the trouble, came to Los Angeles about two months ago from Houston, Texas. Brittain, who also came from Houston, figured in that city as a co-respondent in a suit for divorce instituted by J. W. Ross, husband of the landlady.

Ross attempted to kill Brittain on the street in Houston. Truesdell came from North Carolina.

SUPERIOR JUDGES EXCHANGE BENCHES.

Judge Hall today assumed charge of the probate department of the Superior Court, while Judge Ellsworth was transferred to the criminal department. Judge Melvin was transferred to department No. 2, vacated by Judge Hall. Judge Greene retained the bench of department No. 4 and Judge Ogden remained in department No. 1.

CASE OF SMALL POX.

A case of small pox at 1575 Chestnut street has been reported to the Health Office. The patient is a Mr. Martin, who is employed by the Pullman Palace Car Company. The premises have been quarantined and a guard established.

BORN.

MacDONALD—In Oakland, January 5th, 1903, to the wife of Chas. J. MacDonald (nee Palmer), a son.

DIED.

PETERSEN—In Fruitvale, January 3, 1903, Louis N., beloved husband of Theresa N. Petersen and father of Helen G. Petersen, a member of California Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., and Oakland Court, No. 6, Tribe of Ben Hur, a native of Sweden, aged 48 years, 7 months, 28 days.

NOTICE—In Oakland, January 4th, George Northrop, a native of New York, died in this city, January 4th, at her late residence, 1613 Myrtle street, Mrs. Goddard Gale, wife of Prof. Goddard Gale, and mother of Claudia and Frederick Gale, a native of Canada, aged 34 years.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

MUTUAL SAVINGS BANK OF OAKLAND, INCORPORATED, PLAIN-TIFF. No. 17,275

WILLIAM vs. KNIGHT, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF MARINET P. HAYNES, DECEASED, ET AL. vs. DEBENA, et al.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale. Under and by virtue of an order of sale in and decreed by the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1902, in the above entitled action, wherein the Mutual Savings Bank of San Francisco, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against William H. Knight, administrator of the estate of Harriet P. Haynes, deceased, on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1902, for the sum of two thousand, eighty-two and fifty-five hundredths dollars, United States Gold Coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said judgment and decree was, on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1902, recorded in judgment book No. 1, at said Court, at page 158, I am commanded to sell all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows: to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southwestern line of State Street, formerly Benton street, distant thereon one hundred (100) feet southwesterly from the southwestern line of East Twenty-first street (formerly Hegen street), and running thence southwesterly along said line of Seventh avenue fifty (50) feet; thence at a right angle southeasterly one hundred (100) feet; thence northeasterly fifty (50) feet; thence northwesterly parallel with East Twenty-first street one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning, the whole being more or less than 125, on the said block is delineated and so designed on Higby's map of Clinton, of record in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda county.

Public notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1903, at two o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for Gold Coin of the United States.

Oakland, January 5, 1903.

A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

FRANK J. SULLIVAN, attorney for plaintiff.

Rooms and Board Wanted. WANTED—By three adults, board and rooms in private family. Address stating particulars Tribune box 215.

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Too Late for Classification.

Lost and Found. STRAYED Jersey cow—Muley cow from Piedmont Heights. Address 383 Orchard street, Oakland.

LOST—December 31st, red water Spanish pup, 12th and Washington streets. License 1073. Return to 113 1/2th street. \$5.00 reward.

LOST—Sunday, small memorandum book. W. M. Watson Co., 1008 Washington st., on outside cover; book of no value. Please return to above address.

LOST—One solitaire diamond ring. Return to room 3, No. 1105 Broadway, for reward.

LOST—A pet canary. Return to 1015 Washington street, room 1. Liberal reward.

LOST—Sunday afternoon between Twenty-fourth and Mead avenue. Thirteenth street, a ladies' gold watch No. 205,12 Superior. Liberal reward if returned to 1235 Filbert street. Valued as keepsake from deceased relative.

Exchange. FURNISHED rooms; gas; bath; convenient to cars and trains. 885 Filbert street.

FOR Exchange—in Seattle, a house of six rooms and bath for one in Oakland of equal value. For further particulars address box 239 Tribune.

For Sale—Miscellaneous. SPECIAL Sale this week by the Oakland Commission Co., 367 1/2th st., consisting of bedroom sets, Steinway and Sons' piano, gasoline tank, grocer's scales, office desk, Hall safe, D. B. L. shotgun, ladies' wheel and many other articles too numerous to mention. Early and secure bargains. Oakland Commission Co., 367 1/2th street. Phone James 1801. R. W. Sweet, manager.

FOR Sale—Furniture of seven-room house cheap rent; central; no agents; address box 219 Tribune.

MILLINERY at cost—Hate trimmed and untrimmed. Call early and secure bargains. Oakland Commission Co., 367 1/2th street. Phone James 1801. R. W. Sweet, manager.

FINE driving and riding horse for sale. Address box 255.

500—First-class modern boarding house furnished complete; piano; fine location; cheap rent; bargain. Inquire 421-13 Eleventh street, Mrs. Birch.

FOR Sale—Five-horse power electric motor. Very little used. E. Bishop, 408 Tenth street.

FOR Sale—25 shares Oakland Cremation Association stock. Make offer or address for interview. "Royal," Tribune office.

To Let—Rooms Furnished. ROOM and House Renting Agency—Call or write. Typewriting done. Edna B. Leavitt, 408 Eighth street.

COMPLETELY furnished rooms and bath. 531 Nineteenth street, between Telegraph and San Pablo.

FOR Rent—Front and back parlor, one or both; gentleman preferred; phone; bath; 906 West street.

Two large south rooms. References required. 1427 Franklin.

To Let—Houses Unfurnished. WE have a desirable list of houses, cottages and flats in all parts of Oakland. F. F. Porter, 408 Eighth street.

LODGING HOUSES FOR SALE. 10 rooms; fine location; good furniture; cheap rent; bargain. Must be sold. F. F. Porter, 408 Eighth street.

Help Wanted—Female. OFFICE lady wanted; typewriter and bookkeeper; \$30 per month; nice private home; with privilege of taking in other work. 457 Ninth street.

WANTED—By competent woman, work by the day; washing and housecleaning. \$1.50. Address A. A. Holler, Fruitvale postoffice.

WANTED—Two competent girls; cook and second girl for upstairs work to assist with children. Call at 1975 Summit, corner Orchard. Phone 372.

WANTED—A young girl to assist in housework; good home. Call 508-1-2 Telegraph avenue.

WANTED—LODGING HOUSE. LODGING house centrally located with 10 rooms, 40 rooms. Meads & Bell, 1225 Broadway.

WANTED—HOUSES AND ROOMS. WANTED—Half of small sunny house on several rooms in refined home; good neighborhood; highest references. Box 230 Tribune.

BERKELEY REAL ESTATE. A snap; don't miss it; only one week; 3-7-room and one 6-room houses; all modern; the latest; on Woolsey street; call 2024. A. C. Kashline, owner.

Help Wanted—Male. WANTED—Boy 16 to 20 years old to be generally useful about Drug Store. Apply Drug Store, 7th and Market sts.

WANTED—Boy to work in drug store; errands, etc. Apply 1105 Broadway.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman well acquainted in Oakland and San Francisco, can make a list of easy to outfit; only a little talk. A. Sweet, 1375 1/2 Broadway.

A BRIGHT energetic salesman with tact and ability can secure position with leading financial institution providing references are satisfactory. Box 204, d Tribune.

NEW HOMES FOR SALE. \$3,000 each—Four very fine residences on 26th street between West and Market streets, containing 6 and 7 rooms each, with every modern convenience; just being completed.

\$3,250 to \$4,000—Eight handsome new homes on Valdez street north of 26th, 1 block east of Broadway. These houses contain from 6 to 8 rooms each. All modern improvements.

\$2,500 to \$3,500—Sixteen of the finest houses ever built in East Oakland are now in course of construction on the old Tubbs' Hotel site; close to station and electric car lines.

WARDWARD WATSON COMPANY. 112 Broadway, corner 14th street.

To Let—Rooms Unfurnished. FOUR large desirable unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas; range; upper floor; adults only. 523 Twenty-fourth street, near Telegraph avenue.

Real Estate. HOMES for sale or built to order; easy terms; Murdock, Adeline Station on railroad to Berkeley, or 510 Pine street, San Francisco.

WANTED—Lot, or house and lot; must be cheap. North Oakland. A Box 264 Tribune.

\$3,000—New 8-room house on 34th street; very reasonable terms; \$2,300 can be borrowed on property.

\$2,000—Within 6 blocks from City Hall, the best bargain in Oakland.

\$1,200—Six rooms on Oak street.

\$1,000—Room cottage on Grove street.

\$3,500—Eight rooms/ bath, etc.; lot 57-1-3 by 137 on Linden street.

\$3,350—Eight room/ modern; a fine home near Telegraph avenue and in walking distance of business center. W. F. O'Banion, 408 Eighth street, rear office. Phone James 211.

Situations Wanted—Male. JAPANESE boy wants position; school; \$1.50 per week. 31 Telegraph.

A POLITE Japanese schoolboy wishes position in small family. T. Kojima, Washington street, Oakland, Cal.

RESPONSES NOT RAILROAD MEN RECEIVED. IN SESSION.

THE ALLIED POWERS ARE NOT YET READY TO REPLY TO NOTE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The responses of the allied powers to Castro's last propositions to submit Venezuela's case to the arbitration of The Hague tribunal have not yet

NEWS FROM CITY OF ALAMEDA

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE AT DICKIE'S FOR SECOND LAUNCHING.

TO LAUNCH FERRY SATURDAY.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—Preparations are being made at Dickie's Ship Yards to insure the safe launching of the ferry boat which is now ready to be run into the water. A dredger has been at work for several days around the wharf and along the bank below where the ferry lies. The harbor at this point will be deepened several feet before the dredger leaves, and there will be little danger of a hitch in the next launching that takes place Saturday.

When the first ferry was launched some weeks ago from this ship yard, something was wrong with the ways and the vessel refused to slide into the water. A second attempt was made, and the boat ran its nose into the mud and to get it into deep water required the combined efforts of three tug boats. The ferry steamer which will be launched within a few days from the same yard, is exactly the same size as the one that caused so much trouble, and lies but a few feet to the south of the ways from which the first one was launched. Another ferry, being built by the same company, is now rapidly nearing completion and lies next to the small vessel. The third boat is fully forty feet longer than the others and is a side wheeler, while the smaller boats are provided with propellers.

Preparations are being made by the builders and owners of the smaller boat, for a large time on launching day. Every precaution will be taken to prevent a hitch in the proceedings at the second launching.

MRS. EMILY LEWIS PASSES AWAY AT ALAMEDA HOME.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—Yesterday Mrs. Emily A. Lewis died at her home, 1646 Park street, after an illness of a few days. Deceased was 63 years of age and a native of Canada. She leaves a husband, George A. Lewis, and two daughters, Thelma J. and Mary A. Lewis. The Lewis family have resided in Alameda for the past thirty-four years and are well known through the county.

CHIEF OF POLICE FILES REPORT FOR DECEMBER.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—City Marshal John Conrad has filed his report for the month of December, which shows the following arrests: Falsifying checks, 1; drunk, 11; vagrancy, 1; violating ordinance, 4; insanity, 1; suspicion, 2; total, 20. For business licenses \$3.25 were collected, and for dog tags \$3.49. Total, \$7.75.

WILL HOLD INQUEST ON REMAINS OF ALAMEDAN.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—An inquest on the remains of H. H. Castle, who died suddenly at his home in this place Saturday morning, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock.

FIREMEN GIVE RECEPTION TO MR. AND MRS. HAYDEN.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—Cordes Hose Company, No. 5, gave a reception Friday night in honor of the return from their honeymoon of Mr. and Mrs. Hayden. Mr. Hayden is the popular driver of the company. He was presented with a handsome hand-painted clock, the gift of the full paid men in the department. Cordes Hose Company gave the couple a set of silver forks and spoons, some of the gifts were set and a beautiful sofa and pillow. Refreshments were served by the fire boys and appropriate speeches were made. Cordes Hose Company held its annual election. All the former officers were re-elected.

CITY TRUSTEES WILL MEET IN ALAMEDA TONIGHT.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held tonight when matters of importance will come up.

ALAMEDA BOARD OF HEALTH HOLDS SESSION.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—The Board of Health met Saturday afternoon, at which time the reports of the various inspectors were made and filed. It was reported that there had been thirteen deaths during the month of December.

HAVE YOU ANY OF THESE.

Symptoms of a Very Common Trouble?

There is no disease so common in the United States as catarrh because it appears in so many forms and attacks so many different organs.

It is a common mistake to suppose that catarrh is confined to the nose or throat. Any inflammation in the mucous membrane wherever located accompanied by abnormal secretions, is catarrh. Catarrh of stomach or bladder, or intestines, is nearly as common as nasal catarrh and much more serious although it is true that stomach catarrh, catarrh of the bladder or internal organs is the result of neglected catarrh.

A new remedy has recently appeared which so far as tested seems to be remarkably effective in promptly curing catarrh, wherever located. The preparation is sold by druggists generally under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and in addition to being very palatable and convenient, possesses extraordinary merit. In many cases giving immediate relief from the coughing, hawking and constant clearing of the throat and head, those symptoms with which everyone is familiar who has ever suffered from colds in the head and throat.

Catarrh is simply a continuation of these symptoms until the trouble becomes chronic and grows gradually worse from year to year.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are composed of blood root, red gum and similar antiseptic and cathartic specific from which it will be seen that no secret is made of the ingredients and also that no mineral poisons are used, as is the case with many well known catarrh medicines.

For catarrh of the nose, throat, bronchial tubes, for catarrh of stomach, intestines or bladder no preparation is so safe and gives such rapid and permanent results as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

All druggists sell them at 50 cents for full sized package. You can use them with assurance that you will not contract the cocaine or morphine habit as the results from this catarrh cure are apparent from the first day's use.

POPULAR ORGANIZATION HOLDS UNION MEETING IN CHURCH.

ADELPHIAN CLUB MEETS.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—On Saturday evening the Adelphean Club held its union meeting in the Unitarian Church. The trustees of the church generously tendered the use of the edifice in view of the fact that the new rooms of the club at the corner of Park street and Santa Clara avenue were not ready for occupancy.

The meeting was well attended and the following interesting program was rendered:

Vocal solo, "In Circle's Garden" (Oley Speaks) Ralph Fisher.

Violin solo (Selected) Vocal solos: (a) "Meditation" (Tosti) (b) "The Night Hath a Thousand Eyes" (Niedling) James D. Maddrell.

Violin solo (Selected) Duet, "When Thou Art Near" (Abb) Messrs. Fisher and Maddrell.

Lecture, "The Dramatic Element in American History" Dr. Kendrick C. Babcock of the University of California.

MISS OLIVE ROCKWELL GAVE AFTERNOON PARTY.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—Miss Olive Rockwell, ward of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Snow, gave an enjoyable party Saturday afternoon at her home, 1106 College avenue, in celebration of her eleventh birthday anniversary. Quite a number of her school friends, and all had a very pleasant time. Games were played and ice cream and cake served.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE ENCINAL CITY.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sherman have moved to San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Dietrich have moved from 848 Cedar street to 1241 Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Holub have returned to their home at 848 Cedar street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roberts, formerly of 539 Cedar street, have moved to Sausalito.

Superintendent Wiese of the electric light department is able to be out again after a long illness.

Miss Jessie Johnson, a teacher in the Longfellow school, has been visiting relatives at Pleasanton.

Mrs. Walter Remick, who has been visiting relatives in this city, has returned to her home in Napa.

Oswald Orchard Jr., who has been the guest of G. W. Bennett of Central avenue, left today on the steamer Coptic for China.

Mrs. S. Haslett, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Haight and Mr. Sidney Haslett have returned from Coronado, where they spent the Christmas holidays.

The Misses Mamie and Annie Keegan, teachers in the Alameda school department, have returned from Los Angeles, where they spent their vacation.

A marriage license was issued in Oakland yesterday to William J. Weymouth, aged 31 years, a resident of San Francisco, and Miss Josephine Webster, a resident of this city, aged 20 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Wallin entertained a number of friends New Year's day in honor of the christening of their daughter, Elaine Frances, which took place at their home, 2160 Railroad avenue.

Miss Rose Kelly of Livermore is the guest of Miss Annie Gillingham at Hotel Encinal. Miss Kelly was in the railroad wreck near Pleasanton yesterday, and came through the accident without injury.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rosenberg and family of 1447 Benton street will leave in a few days for an extended trip through the Eastern States. They will spend several months visiting friends and relatives in New England.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Sherman of San Francisco have moved to this city and will reside in a cottage on Sherman street.

Miss Ethel Allen of Cedar street is to become a nurse. She will enter St. Luke's hospital on Monday next.

Charles S. Neal has left for the East with Herman Oleichs and a party of friends in John Duntling's private car, El Field.

Dr. James H. Harty, son of Captain and Mrs. Harty, has become associated with Dr. J. P. Dunn of Oakland, commencing his medical practice in that city yesterday.

STABLEMEN MAY NOT STRIKE

ACTION HAS BEEN POSTPONED FOR THE PRESENT—OWNERS ORGANIZE.

There will be no strike of the men employed in Oakland stables for the present, and the dispute between the employers may be finally adjusted without a serious struggle.

The Stablemen's Union has postponed action because the officers of the Federated Trades are in Los Angeles, but the members insist that they will strike unless their demands are acceded to. It is said that the stable owners have made a compact to resist the demands of the union, but one of them said today that he did not anticipate serious trouble. He said the stable owners and their employers would get on all right but for the interference of outside parties with axes of their own to grind.

YOUNG BOY DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS.

BERKLEY, Jan. 5.—Gustave H. Wansley, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wansley, died yesterday afternoon, after a brief illness at the home of his parents, Fourth and Camella streets. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GENERAL R. A. FRIEDRICH PASSES AWAY IN THE FAR NORTH.

ALAMEDAN DIES IN ALASKA.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 5.—General Robert A. Friedrich, United States District Attorney of Alaska, whose home is at 2117 Buena Vista avenue, in this city, died suddenly Wednesday at Juneau. News of his demise reached his family in a dispatch received here today. In the telegram it was stated that his death followed a brief attack of kidney trouble and was unexpected.

Robert A. Friedrich was born in Mount Vernon, Kentucky, about fifty-five years ago. He enlisted with the Union army as a drummer boy with a Kansas regiment in the Civil War, and was retired with the rank of Captain. His title of General was acquired through his connection with the Grand Army of the Republic and the militia. After the close of the Civil War he took up the legal profession and filled numerous positions under the Federal Government. He was a warm personal friend of the late President William McKinley and was by him appointed United States Attorney for Alaska in 1898 and reappointed in 1900. His district, which formerly included the entire Territory of Alaska, was recently divided into three judicial divisions.

General Friedrich came to California twelve years ago, took up his residence in Alameda and practiced law in San Francisco. He was prominent in military and social life and served a term as president of the Union League Club of San Francisco. He was a gentleman of impressive personality, warm hearted and sympathetic and possessed of all the courtly gentility characteristic of the Kentuckians. Since his appointment to the United States Attorneyship of Alaska, General Friedrich had interested himself in the welfare and improvement of the Indians of the Territory and in several tribes was respected and honored as "the good white chief." He also did much to give tone to the legal profession in Alaska, and in 1900 was elected president of the Bar Association.

Deceased is survived by a wife and daughter, Miss Augusta Friedrich. Arrangements for the funeral will not be made until the arrival of the body, which is to leave Juneau by steamer on next Tuesday.

SALE OF SLIGHTLY DAMAGED PIANOS.

Several high grade fancy cases, regular \$150 and \$350 instruments that were slightly damaged in the fire in the Bacon Block will be sold at nearly one-half their regular price. Call at 1055 Broadway, Room 10, after 2 p. m. Monday.

President Roosevelt's advice to "leave the tariff alone" offers the Democracy a glorious opportunity, which it is probably too stupid to embrace.

FRED WHITNEY PAYS MONEY TO GIRL.

THE ATTORNEY ASSIGNS A LARGE FEE TO MISS ETHEL JEROME.

Attorney Fred E. Whitney, who is accused of having embezzled about \$3600 from Miss Ethel A. Jerome, daughter of the late E. B. Jerome, was enabled today to make a partial reparation through his receiving a large fee from the estate of the late Elizabeth L. Cook.

Judge Hall allowed Whitney a fee of \$400 for his services in connection with the estate, but as he had already received something more than \$2000, the amount to be paid on the fee is less than \$200. Whitney has assigned the entire fee over to a representative of Miss Jerome.

In speaking of the matter, Whitney said: "I am glad of this opportunity to show that I had no intention of defrauding Miss Jerome. She will not only get her fee, but she will get the fee for her services. I have given her ample security for the amount remaining due her and she is perfectly satisfied with the arrangement. I have never at any time had any intention of defrauding her out of any of the money I borrowed. It has been incorrectly published that I gave her my unsecured note, which was worthless. That is not true, for I gave her additional security and I have said from the first that I would pay her every cent I owe her. To wrong her has been furthered from my thoughts."

Whitney's preliminary hearing is set for this month before Justice J. G. Quinn, but may be postponed, as Attorney Chapman is engaged in the trial of another case that promises to continue a long time.

Attorneys Reed and Neuhamer, who were associated with Whitney in the suits brought against W. G. Tripp to recover Mrs. Cook's estate, valued at about \$20,000, were granted a fee of \$400 by Judge Hall this morning.

PROBATE NOTES.

Judge Hall also approved the compromise of the claims of M. L. Sullivan for \$4500. Sullivan's claims were based on a promissory note for \$5000, executed by Mrs. Cook the day before she died and

CHANCE BREAKFAST.

Habit of Healthy Europeans.

The sturdy Scotch, Germans, French and Italians seldom or never eat meat for breakfast.

Long experience has taught that the breakfast should be simple and not include meat.


Many Americans suffer with weak stomachs and more or less illness because they fail to understand the simple and healthful plan of a breakfast somewhat like the following:

A little fruit.
A dish of Grape-Nuts and cream.
One or two soft eggs.
A cup of Postum Food Coffee and perhaps a piece of hard toast.

A man says, "I couldn't go on that until noon."

One or two days' trial will teach him a big volume of facts and make him feel "at a loss as to how to live."

Underlying and scientific reason. The best argument, however, is the actual experience with such breakfasts.



ABRAHAMSON'S

Our Great Annual Clearance Sale

It Begins Thursday Morning January 8th.

This great sale, is known as one of the most important and greatest of money saving sales—The greatest price reductions ever known will prevail throughout the entire month of January—Each and every department will be represented by unequalled bargains—We have already put our stupendous reductions in our Cloak and Suit department, and we are ready to serve you with these reductions now.

Abrahamson Bros. Inc. S. E. Cor. 13th. and Washington
Oakland, Cal.

Thursday!
we start this
Annual
Clearance
Sale



CYRUS NOBLE

a pure old
whiskey
for particu-
lar people

sold everywhere

made payable one day after her death, in favor of C. F. Nidhaus, and a contract held by the latter for \$2000 for services rendered at \$100 a month.

As the estate had been in litigation eight years, the heirs were willing to compromise rather than prolong the matter.

Judge Hall directed the administrator, W. H. Knight, to file a supplemental account, after which the estate will be ready to distribute. The heirs are ten brothers and sisters and the children of two deceased brothers, all residing in the East.

Underwriters' Sale

The stock of

EASTERN OUTFITTING COMPANY

Damaged by Smoke and Water, will be sold at

514 ELEVENTH STREET

NEAR WASHINGTON

Daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

until disposed of.

As we intend to open our new store, corner Thirtieth and Clay, formerly occupied by Mrs. Ober, with an entire new stock, we must dispose of every garment from our former store, no matter how big our loss may be.

It is acknowledged by every lady in Oakland that we have carried the finest stock of Ladies' Wearing Apparel in the city, therefore you are assured of getting up-to-date goods at your own price.

Remember we must sell the goods.

THIS SALE IS STRICTLY CASH

EASTERN OUTFITTING CO.

Temporary quarters for the sale,

514 Eleventh Street

NEAR WASHINGTON.

Our new store will be ready for business in about twenty days

CLARK WISE & CO'S

New Building

126-128 Geary Street

Will Soon Be Completed

This Tells the Cause of our

RARE PIANO BARGAINS

We Are Going to Move

WE HAVE ENOUGH STOCK ORDERED TO NEARLY FILL THE STORES AND UPPER FLOORS OF OUR NEW BUILDING AND MUST REDUCE OUR PRESENT STOCK.

Buyers Make the Terms

FIRST AND SUBSEQUENT PAYMENTS NEED NOT WORRY YOU IF YOU WANT A PIANO.

JUST DROP IN AND ARRANGE SUCH MATTERS TO FIT YOUR PURSE AND INCOME.

Other Musical Instruments

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR THIS LINE AS WELL AS FOR PIANOS.

THE C. F. MARTIN GUITARS AND MANDOLINS AND THE STELLA MUSIC BOXES ARE OUR LEADERS. BESIDES THESE WE CARRY BANJOS, VIOLINS, ZITHERS, TALKING MACHINES, ETC.

CLARK WISE & CO.

WEBER AGENCY

Cor. Geary St. and Grant Ave.

SAN FRANCISCO

JOHN MITCHELL IS RE-ELECTED

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watchman in the office of the County Treasurer and, upon motion of Kelley, Daniel Denahy was appointed to the vacancy.

GARD REMOVED.

Charles A. Gard was removed as copyist and Victor Giarardelli was, upon motion of Kelley, appointed to the vacancy at a salary of \$100 a month.

CROWELL AS TRUSTEE.

Upon motion of Rowe, Clarence Crowell was appointed trustee of the County Law Library.

ELSTON RESIGNS.

J. A. Elston resigned as a member of the County Board of Education and the resignation was accepted.

Kelley put in a resolution appointing C. L. Ingler to the vacancy, but withdrew it and C. L. Eledenbach of Berkeley was appointed.

ALLOWANCE CLERK.

William Fitzmaurice was appointed an allowance clerk, vice Myron A. Whilden, resigned, at a salary of \$100 a month.

INDEX CLERK.

County Clerk Cook was empowered to

appoint a clerk to arrange and index the records in his office received prior to 1901. The salary of the clerk was fixed at \$100 per month.

CROSBY NAMED.

There was a slight hitch when it came to the removal of Dr. S. H. Buteau as visiting physician of the County Infirmary. Talbot introduced a resolution removing Buteau and appointing Dr. Daniel Crosby of Fruitvale to the position. The resolution carried, although Rowe objected on account of Crosby's age. He said that Crosby was a young man, and that there should be a thoroughly experienced physician at the infirmary. He suggested the name of Dr. H. N. Rowell of Berkeley, but his motion received no second.

Dr. Crosby is a young physician of Fruitvale and a friend of Supervisor Talbot. He is prominent in medical circles and at the recent election took a lively interest in politics.

Three of the other six appointments made this morning were the patronage of Supervisor Kelley, the new member. They were William Kelly, Victor Giarardelli and Daniel Denahy. All are well known in Mr. Kelley's district and they were rewarded for their faithful services during the recent campaign.

Professor Biedenbach, the new member of the Board of Education is the principal of a school at Berkeley and is the appointee of Rowe.

William Fitzmaurice is well known in the younger set of politicians. He has been a clerk in the office of City Treasurer Taylor.

Clarence Crowell, the law library trustee, is Chairman of the Republican Central Committee and is Court Commissioner of Alameda county.

TOM WILLIAMS GIVES UP WEAPONS.

SENSATION IN THE MARRIOTT CASE IN SAN FRANCISCO TO-DAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—The trial of Thomas H. Williams, Jr., and Truxton Beale on a charge of assault to commit murder, alleged to have been committed upon the person of Editor Frederick Marriott on the night of September 3rd, was resumed before Superior Judge Cook and a jury this morning.

The court, ruling upon the question of law raised by Attorney Hiram Johnson for the prosecution, concerning certain conversations alleged to have occurred between Beale and Williams an hour previous to the shooting of Marriott, held that, while the avowals and statements made by Beale to Williams and Williams to Beale on that occasion could by no means be considered as evidence of a peaceful motive in visiting the Marriott home, the expressions of purpose as between the co-defendants could, upon questioning, be brought into the record.

This question disposed of, Mr. Williams was recalled to the stand, and in answer to the questions of Attorney Dunne and in the face of repeated objections by the prosecution, the witness told the story of the occurrences on the night of the alleged assault.

"We met at the Pacific Union Club on the night of the affair," said Mr. Williams, "and Truxton Beale told me that he was going to Marriott's house to demand the retraction of a slanderous article reflecting upon a young woman, which had appeared in the News Letter on the Saturday previous. We had a dinner engagement at my home, and I told him that after dinner I would accompany him. We went to my house together, and after reaching there, I telephoned to Mr. Marriott and made an appointment for 9 o'clock. Before starting for the Marriott house, Mr. Beale was not armed, but I handed him a revolver and told him to put it in his pocket, as there might be some trouble and Marriott might have other people in the house beside himself."

They then visited the young woman's home, according to the witness, and informed her of their intention to visit Mr. Marriott, after which they proceeded to the Marriott home.

The witness stated that he had seen Mr. Beale strike Marriott after some sharp words passed, but not while Marriott's back was turned. Then he saw Beale draw a revolver and also the editor with the butt end and testified that he only began to shoot when he saw Marriott wheel about on the stair landing and essay apparently to draw a pistol.

"Did you go there to murder Mr. Marriott?" asked Attorney Dunne.

"No," was the reply. "If I had I would have murdered him."

The witness was given over to Johnson for cross-examination and then followed the sensational episode of the disarming of Williams in open court. Williams frankly stated that he had carried the weapons during the entire progress of the trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Quite a sensation was caused in the Marriott-Beale-Williams case during the examination of Williams at the hands of Hiram Johnson this morning, when Johnson asked Williams if he was armed.

Williams replied that he was and the witness was ordered to turn his weapons over to the custody of the Sheriff.

He produced a wicked looking dagger and a pistol, remarking that the pistol was the one he used when he shot Marriott.

The weapon was immediately placed in evidence.

Asked if he was supplied with extra ammunition, Williams replied that he reserve ammunition was unnecessary.

HONOLULU BISHOP PASSES AWAY

HONOLULU, Jan. 5.—(By Pacific Cable).—Bishop Guistav P. Ropert, head of the Roman Catholic Church in the Hawaiian Islands, died last night. Bishop Ropert has been ill for some time and was in a dying condition when the Pacific cable was landed at Honolulu. One of the first messages sent over the cable was from Bishop Ropert, who notified that his end was approaching, and who sent a message to the Pope at Rome, asking for his blessing.

SENATE MEETS IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—As soon as the Senate met today Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts gave notice that he would address the Senate tomorrow on his anti-trust bill. A concurrent resolution was adopted providing for the preparation under the direction of the Attorney General of a compilation of all laws enacted by the various States relating to trusts or to combinations in restraint of domestic and foreign re-organization of corporations.

WATER COMPANY'S REPORT FILED.

RECEIPTS FOR THE OAKLAND DIVISION OVER HALF A MILLION.

The annual report of the Contra Costa Water Company was made up today and will be filed with the City Clerk this afternoon.

It shows that the company has received for water rents in the city of Oakland during the year 1902, \$2,494,183.39; from San Leandro, \$13,986.36; from water rents in Berkeley, \$75,364.88; from Alameda, \$66,872.51; sale of water to Berkeley division, \$15,625; sale of water to Alameda division, \$6,525.62; tapping mains, \$6,506.50; pipe extensions, \$922.31; land rents, San Leandro division, \$684; sale of material, \$34.40; sale of material, Alameda division, \$1,117.23.

The expenditures were as follows: For construction, \$108,092.65; operating expenses, \$212,521.44; including \$45,000 for renewals. Taxes for the Oakland division aggregate \$67,000, and for the Alameda and Berkeley divisions, \$14,000. Paid dividends, \$247,091.04.

TODAY'S RACES

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—First race at Oakland:

San Lutton, 6 to 1, won. Mr. Dingle, 10 to 1, second. Miss Dividend, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:09.

SECOND RACE. Beana, 8 to 5, won. Greyfield, 2 to 1, second. Louwelsa, 2 to 1, third.

THIRD RACE. Princess Tonia, 11 to 5, won. Maggie Felix, 9 to 3, second. Constellator, 3 to 1, third.

JUDGE LORIGAN IS APPOINTED.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—Governor Gage has appointed Superior Judge W. G. Lorigan of Santa Clara county to fill the vacancy on the Supreme bench caused by the death of Justice Temple.

Judge Lorigan is a graduate of Santa Clara College and has been on the Superior bench of Santa Clara county for sixteen years. He was recently re-elected. He is a man in late middle age and has a family.

FLOODS IN THE NORTHERN COUNTRY

SEATTLE, Wn., January 5.—The flood situation of Seattle does not seem to be greatly improved this morning. Only the most meagre particulars from the various points have been received. The first casualty as a result of the rising of the waters is reported from O'Brien, on the Northern Pacific, between Seattle and Tacoma. There the water is six or eight feet high and last night it was rushing past the houses with the swiftness of a mountain current. Two men, Martin Cummings and E. Shaughnessy, were in a boat resulting people from second-story windows and on one of the trips the boat capsized and Cummings and Shaughnessy were both drowned.

SMITH BROS' CLERK SAVED THEIR COIN

Through the presence of mind of a young lady clerk employed in Smith Bros', \$150 in coin was saved the day of their disastrous fire. The money was in the till and when the alarm of fire was sounded the clerk removed the drawer from the cash register and hid it from sight, thus probably preventing a robbery. The finding of the register without the drawer or money led some to believe that the money had been stolen.

FAIR ESTATE IS APPRAISED

SAN FRANCISCO, January 5.—The estate of the late Charles L. Fair has been appraised at \$3,940,157.35. This is undoubtedly a very conservative estimate of its value.

Fair's holdings were principally one-third of his father's estate. In 1895 the property of the Senior Fair was valued at \$12,000,000, and since then it is said to have increased to almost \$18,000,000, making a one-third interest worth about \$6,000,000.

DOCTOR EARL IS SENTENCED

John Doe Earl, the young physician who is accused of exhibiting vile pictures to children, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$150 or serve seventy-five days in the City Prison by Police Judge Smith this morning.

On the motion of the Prosecuting Attorney a like charge against Mrs. Earl was dismissed.

DEATH OF MRS. CRAWFORD.

Mrs. Belle Crawford, a staff captain of the Salvation Army and wife of Captain Crawford of that organization, died last night at 1609 Railroad avenue, where she was visiting friends.

The deceased was stationed at Sacramento, but came to Oakland to attend the meetings of General Booth. While here she was taken ill. The remains are now at the undertaking parlor of N. W. Leitch, where friends may view them. The funeral will be held at the new barracks of the Salvation Army on Ninth street Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

RAILROAD NEWS FROM YARDS.

ITEMS THAT WILL INTEREST THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC EMPLOYEES.

There will be a meeting of the Pacific Coast Railway Club on January 17th in Portland, Oregon, and a very interesting program is being arranged. It is thought that Master Mechanic Russell of the West Oakland yards and who is president of the organization will be present together with Secretary C. C. Borton also of the yards.

The last meeting of the club was held in Sacramento and was a most successful one.

The club has offered prizes of \$250 for papers pertaining to the construction, equipment, maintaining and management of steam railways, each paper to contain not less than 2000, nor more than 6000 words and the contest is open to the members of any railroad club in the United States.

The prizes will not be awarded from a literary standpoint, but according to their intrinsic value to the railway world. All papers must be in the hands of Secretary C. C. Borton, 1213 Twelfth street, Oakland, on or before February 1st, and the prizes will be awarded as soon afterwards as possible.

The contest is exciting considerable interest among the employes at the West Oakland yards, and many have signified their intention of preparing papers setting forth their ideas on railroading.

SCHOOL IS STARTED FOR SIGNAL MEN.

In order that the men employed in the block signaling department of this division may be furthered in the knowledge of their work, a school of instruction has been started at the West Oakland yards. Here the employes meet once a week and, with the aid of drawings, are instructed in the several branches of the block signaling system.

A drawing is made of the particular subject to be discussed and after the lesson this is left in the work-room where the men congregate at the noon hour. Thus they are given the opportunity, during the interval between the next lesson, to rehearse the lesson and to comment upon it.

In this way ideas will suggest themselves to the men and they are also quickly enlightened regarding their work which would probably take years to find out in the ordinary way.

When the next lesson is given the work of the preceding one is gone over and any misinformed ideas are corrected and those who do not quite understand are further taught.

The drawing illustrating the new lesson is left on the workshop wall to be discussed in the same manner as the previous lesson.

The work of instruction is being done under the direction of E. M. Cutting, division foreman of the signal system.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC EMPLOYEE INVENTS A SIGNALING DEVICE.

If the signaling device recently patented by Conductor Bulla of the Southern Pacific freight service running between El Paso and Tucson, continues to render the service that it now does, the company will purchase his right. This will mean that the best cord and air whistle signals will be devised for the new device is operated by electricity.

A short time ago Conductor Bulla visited the Southern Pacific shops at Los Angeles and fitted his signal device on the passenger train running between Los Angeles and Santa Monica. It is giving excellent service and the Southern Pacific Company is seriously considering the advisability of equipping all of the passenger trains with the electric signal system.

EIGHT LARGE DRAYS FOR USE AT THE PIER.

The Southern Pacific Company has decided to increase the number of drays to be used at the pier for the handling of baggage to eight, instead of four, as was mentioned in their columns some time ago. The hand trucks have but a short life before them and then the eight drays hauled by horses will be installed. Each dray is capable of holding five tons of baggage and will be fitted with detachable wheels so that a pair of horses can be attached to them without can having to unharness and harness the horses. This department as regards the horses will be under the supervision of Jack Smith, now hostler at the West Oakland yards.

NOTES AND PERSONALS GATHERED ABOUT THE YARDS.

Foreman Murphy of the plumbing department, who was married last New Year's eve, has returned with his bride after spending their honeymoon in the southern part of the State.

Ray Patterson of the street road has returned to work after a short illness.

Ray Patterson of the round house is on the sick list and Jerry O'Brien is taking his place.

H. W. Conners and H. Lightner of the machine shops have decided to leave the employ of the Southern Pacific Company and enter that of the Santa Fe at Needles.

The wood that is taken from the recent wrecks on the Southern Pacific line is being used for firewood at the West Oakland yards.

Fred Clarkson, the young son of Officer Clarkson who is on duty at the West Oakland yards has entered the employ of the Southern Pacific Company and has been assigned to work in the milling department under Foreman Carman.

A bicycle path has been constructed over the tracks at the Cedar street entrance of the yards.

FOR DESSERT, SUNDAY, JANUARY 11th, 1903.

try JELL-O, prepared according to the following recipe:

BANANA CREAM. Peel five large bananas, rub smooth with five tablespoonsful of sugar; add one cup sweet cream beaten to a stiff froth, then one package of lemon Jell-O dissolved in one and a half cups boiling water. Pour in milk or cream, and when cold, garnish with candied cherries and serve with thin cream.

A nice dessert for any meal, at any time. Four flavors, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At grocers, 10 cents. GET A PACKAGE TO-DAY.

PROGRAM OF THE EBELL.

MANY INTERESTING EVENTS ARE SCHEDULED FOR JAN. UARY.

The Ebell Society has issued the following program for January:

Tuesday, January 6, 2:30 p. m.—Drill by physical culture section; curator, Mrs. M. de L. Hadley; teacher, Mrs. George Wright.

At 3 p. m. business meeting. Election of five delegates and their alternates to annual convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, held at Fresno, February 3, 4 and 5, 1903.

Tuesday January 13, 12 m. Luncheon. Chairman of music, Mrs. E. N. Ewer. Impromptu—Le Belle Griseldis (Carl Relnecke), Misses Charlotte and Pauline Collins; songs (a) Under the Cypress Tree (Carl Relnecke) and (b) March Bohemienne (Mendelssohn-Mooncheles). Miss Louise Stubbs; selections for two pianos, Misses Charlotte and Pauline Collins.

Tuesday, January 20, 3 p. m.—Bible, history and literature sections, Mrs. T. B. Hume, chairman. A unique program has been arranged.

Tuesday, January 27.—Musical, choral section, Mrs. M. J. Jordan, chairman. Sister Awake (Templeton Strong), choral section; My Heart Is Weary (Goring Thomas), Miss Jessie Tarrant; value E. Major (Moszkowski), Miss Margaret Davies; vocal solo, Mrs. O. Klipp McMurray; spinning chorus, Flying Dutchman (Wagner), choral section; tea served.

SHE DEFENDS CHILD FROM HUSBAND

MRS. T. H. PARRISH APPEALS TO POLICE JUDGE TO SAVE HER BOY.

"Can he take my child after all the abuse I have received from him?" "I cannot stand it! No sir, I cannot!"

Such was the half-hysterical statement made to Police Judge Smith Saturday by Mrs. T. H. Parrish after the case of battery preferred by her against her husband had been dismissed and Parrish had affectionately kissed his twenty-year-old stepdaughter.

A little nine-year-old boy, Gussie, was the cause of Mrs. Parrish's appeal to the Judge, for when his case had been dismissed Parrish walked over to where the child was seated with his mother and attempted to take the boy away from her.

Mrs. Parrish hastily rose to her feet and standing between father and child, made the quoted declaration.

The mother then threw her arms around the child and wept. Friends led the pair from the courtroom and the next case was called.

But Parrish was not to be defeated in her attempt to gain possession of the boy, and shortly afterward accosted the mother and child in the city hall corridor and this time forcibly tried to carry the child away with him.

Cries for help from Mrs. Parrish brought the court officers and half the courtroom loungers into the hallway.

Officer Jacobus then took a hand and warned Parrish that he must leave the child in custody of its mother is he wished to avoid trouble.

Friends then separated the couple and led each away.

Mrs. Parrish, who is instituting divorce proceedings against her husband, caused his arrest on a charge of battery alleged to have taken place in December. In court, however, this morning she was unable to substantiate the charge and consequently the case was dismissed.

A few days ago Mrs. Parrish had the whole police department searching for her nine-year-old boy, whom she declared her husband had kidnapped, but afterwards the boy was found in the home of a neighbor.

WOMAN TRIES TO SUICIDE.

Mrs. Ellen Smith, who says her home is in Alameda, tried to commit suicide today by jumping into the bay at the Peralta street railroad yards. The unfortunate woman, who is evidently demented, was seen prowling around the yards, and several of the railroad employes watched her. As she was about to jump into the bay she was caught and turned over to State Railroad Policeman Brown, who took her to the City Prison.

Mrs. Smith says she is tired of life, but why she tries to commit suicide today by jumping into the bay at the Peralta street railroad yards. The unfortunate woman, who is evidently demented, was seen prowling around the yards, and several of the railroad employes watched her. As she was about to jump into the bay she was caught and turned over to State Railroad Policeman Brown, who took her to the City Prison.

The police are making an effort to locate the woman's family and she will be taken to the Receiving Hospital later to be examined by the Lunacy Commission.

PATRONAGE OF THE ASSEMBLY

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 5.—The Assembly majority this afternoon caused further on the question of patronage and it was decided that each member be allowed \$12 per day in patronage, which is an increase of \$4 a day from last session. The detail of allotment was left to a committee, which will report to the caucus tomorrow at 9 o'clock.

RESUMES NAME TO GET PROPERTY.

Judge Greene today permitted Andrew Nelson to resume the name of Andrew August Nelson. He dropped his middle name when he came to this country. Now he is to inherit property in England, and he desired to resume his family name.

MONEY FOR AN ACTRESS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Seven thousand six hundred and eighty-two dollars was the sum netted at the benefit given for Mary Dressler, the actress, who has been ill for several months with typhoid fever.

GREAT FIRE SALE OF SHOES

OPENS WEDNESDAY 9 a. m. at SIMON'S SHOE STORE 962 WASHINGTON ST. Bet. Ninth and Tenth.

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GERMANY IS MAKING PROGRESS

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Germany, according to the Tribune's correspondent in London, is steadily making progress as a shipbuilding nation. In ceasing to take British materials the German builders for a time lost money, but the tremendous impetus which the shipbuilding industry has received since 1895 largely owing to the influence of the Emperor has made these temporary losses good and both the iron and shipbuilding trades are now equal to meet the demand that has been done in the country. At present, however, Germany is heavily handicapped by the fact that the iron making centers lie far from the sea coast and a much closer alliance between the shipbuilding and iron making industries will have to be effected before she can hope to compete seriously with Great Britain. The German shipbuilding yards were very active during 1902, but the tendency immensely to increase productive capacity of establishments, which characterized other industries, was not noticeable to any extent. This is probably accounts for the absence in the trade of the stagnation so general in Germany at the present time.

PRINCE HENRY'S FUTURE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—It is reported in admiralty circles, says the Berlin correspondent of the American, that Prince Henry will soon leave the navy to become Regent of the Brunswick principality, the rulership of which is claimed by the Duke of Cumberland. Having attained the highest possible rank in the navy, Prince Henry's ambition now is to try his hand at statesmanship. He is also anxious to spend more of his time with his family, as several of his children are in delicate health.

He may also be desirous of quitting the navy because of the awkward situation at Kiel.

With reference to questions of precedence in consequence of the residence there of the Kaiser's second son, Prince Adolph, who is understanding, will take Prince Henry's place as Admiral royal.

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MONEY LENDER WINS.

RECOVERS JUDGMENT ON NOTE BEARING A HIGH RATE OF INTEREST.

Cyrus D. Kelley, the money lender, has secured a final victory in his suit against C. J. Jensen to recover on a promissory note for \$100, bearing interest at the rate of 60 per cent a year. According to a remittitur received by the County Clerk from the Supreme Court today, the appeal taken on behalf of Jensen has been dismissed. Kelley is thus entitled to collect on the judgment rendered in his favor by Judge Hall. The judgment was for \$100 principal, \$52.50 interest and \$25 counsel fees.

On June 26, 1901, Jensen borrowed \$100 from Kelley, and gave as security a chattel mortgage on some horses, wagons and other articles at 2335 Peralta street. The note was payable in six months bearing interest at 6 per cent a month.

The day after he was sued on the note, Jensen fled a petition in insolvency, and the following day was adjudged bankrupt. He pleaded this fact as a defense and enumerated a long list of alleged creditors.

Judge Hall found that most of Jensen's alleged debts were fictitious and he rendered judgment in favor of the money lender for the amount claimed. D. J. Hall, as trustee in insolvency of Jensen's estate, appealed the case to the Supreme Court.

BOXING BILL TO BE INTRODUCED

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—A new boxing bill providing for first class bouts between professionals or amateurs is to be introduced at Albany this session. The sport is to be governed with iron-clad rules, while the State will be the beneficiary, receiving a portion of the gross receipts in the same way as now from racing associations. The State is to be represented by a boxing commission of five persons, which will have power to regulate the sport. It is proposed to take the tax off trotting associations, leaving it only on running associations, on the ground that the money derived from the former sport goes mainly to the support of county fairs.

PRISONERS GIVE THEIR THANKS

Editor TRIBUNE.—The prisoners now confined in the County Jail wish to express their unbounded gratitude to Mr. Louis Schoneau, chief jailor, for his kind treatment and many acts of generosity during his stay here as chief jailor. We also express our deepest regret at his withdrawal, and may success crown his efforts in the future in the sincere wish of the prisoners in the County Jail, PRISONERS.

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paid here.

Notice to Creditors.
Estate of Newton M. Fay, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the under-
signed, J. R. Talcott, Administrator of the
estate of Newton M. Fay, deceased, to the
creditors of said estate, to present their
claims against the said deceased, to
exhibit them with the necessary vouchers,
within four months after the first
publication of this notice, to the said ad-
ministrator at his residence on High street,
opposite the end of Prescott street (old
county road) in Brooklyn Township, Alameda
County, Cal., at the same time being the
place for the transaction of the business
of the said estate in the County of Alameda,
State of California.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Administrator of the Estate of Newton
M. Fay, Deceased.

Dated at Oakland, this 29th day of December,
1902.

D. E. ALEXANDER, attorney for administrator.

ANNUAL MEETING.
Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank
of Oakland, California.

The annual meeting of the stockholders
of the Farmers and Merchants Savings
Bank of Oakland, California, will be held
at the office of the corporation, No. 1102
Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, January
13, 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Board of Directors,
GEO. S. MEREDITH, Asst. Secretary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
The Union Savings Bank.

A dividend has been declared to depos-
itors for the six months ending Decem-
ber 31, 1902, at the rate of three and
twenty-five (3 1/4) per cent per annum on all savings deposits,
payable on and after January 2, 1903.
Dividends not called for are added to and
the same rate of interest as the principal
from January 1, 1903.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

Removal Notice

On and after January 1st,
1903, the General Offices of
the Company including that
of the Manager, Superinten-
dent, Engineer and Claim
Department will be located
at the corner of San Pablo
avenue and Jones street.

Telephone Exchange 8

The Accounting Depart-
ment will remain in the pre-
sent location 510 Twelfth
street, Telephone Main 724.

OAKLAND TRANSIT CONSOLIDATED.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given:
That in pursuance of an order of sale
made and entered by the Superior Court
of the County of Alameda, State of Cal-
ifornia, on the 8th day of December,
1902, in the matter of the estate of
Charles W. Lillie, deceased, the under-
signed administrator of said estate, will
sell at private sale, and subject to con-
firmation by said Superior Court, the fol-
lowing described real and personal prop-
erty, belonging to said estate, viz:

That certain lot, piece or parcel of
land, situate, lying and being in the City
of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of
California, bounded and particularly de-
scribed as follows:

Beginning at a point on the eastern
line of Union street (also called Eighth
street) distant therefrom one hundred
(100) feet northwesterly from the north-
ern line of Eagle avenue, and running
thence northerly along the eastern line
of Union street fifty (50) feet; thence
at right angles easterly one hundred and
eight (108) feet; thence at right angles
southerly fifty (50) feet; thence at right
angles westerly one hundred and eight
(108) feet to the point of beginning,
being lots numbers twenty-three (23)
and twenty-four (24) in Block num-
ber fifty-eight (58) of the Town of En-
cinal, Alameda, as the same are delineated
on a certain map entitled "Resub-
division of Block No. 58 of the Town of En-
cinal, Alameda Co., Cal." filed April 7, 1888,
in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda
County.

Also all the contents and household
furniture now being in the dwelling house
situated on the said above described prop-
erty.

The sale will be made on or after the
15th of January, 1903, and bids will be
received at the office of William E. Adams,
Attorney at Law, in the City of Alameda,
California, the attorneys for said estate.

Terms of sale: Cash, gold coin of the
United States, the highest bid which will
be at the expense of the purchaser.

Dated, December 27, 1902.

F. C. LILLIE,
Administrator of the Estate of Charles
W. Lillie, deceased.

Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior Court of the County
of Alameda, State of California.

It appearing to the said Court that the
petition filed by Mary D. Matthews, de-
ceased, executrix of the will of Mary D.
Matthews, deceased, praying for an
order authorizing them to lease for the
sum of \$100.00 for a term of twelve
months, the real property of said de-
ceased described as follows:

That certain lot, piece or parcel of land
situated in the Township of Oakland, County
of Alameda, State of California, particularly
described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the east
line of San Pablo avenue 484.51 feet north-
westerly from the northern line of Russell
street, said point being the northwest
corner of the Homestead Lot, and run-
ning thence northerly along the east line
of San Pablo avenue 888.24 feet to the
southwest corner of the 47.21 acre tract;
thence along the boundary line of said
tract N 80 1/2 degrees east 1,831.40 feet to
the westerly line of the right of way of
the California & Nevada Railway; thence
southerly along the westerly line of said
right of way 1,270 feet, more or less, to
the north line of Russell street, thence
easterly along the north line of Russell
street 1,889 feet to the northeast corner
of the Homestead Lot; thence along the
same N 9 1/2 degrees W 446.73 feet to the
line of the said tract N 80 1/2 degrees
E 370.60 feet to the point of begin-
ning, containing 51.47 acres, more or
less, and being a portion of the Matthews
Tract, Oakland Township, Alameda County,
Cal.

It is therefore ordered that all persons
interested in the estate of said deceased
do appear before the said court on Friday,
the 16th day of January, 1903, at 10
o'clock of said day, at the Court Room
of said Court, in Department Four there-
of, in the City of Oakland, California, to
show cause why the said order should
not be granted, and the said petition of
the said executrix be hereby referred to
for further hearing, particularly.

And it is further ordered that this or-
der be published once a week for two
successive weeks in the Oakland Tri-
bune, a newspaper printed and published
in the said County of Alameda.

HENRY A. MELVIN, Judge.
Dated, December 29, 1902.

Filed December 29, 1902.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By G. S. PIERCE, Deputy County Clerk.

S. BELL, MYKES, attorney for Executrix.

Probate Notice.
In the Superior Court of the County
of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.,
and application for letters of administra-
tion with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition
for the probate of the will of Fannie E.
Smith, deceased, and for the issuance to
James P. Booth of letters of administra-
tion with the will annexed has been filed
in this Court, and that Friday, the 16th
day of January, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock
A. M., at the Court Room, in Department
No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House
in the City of Oakland, in the County of
Alameda, State of California, will be the
time and place for the hearing of said peti-
tion, when and where any person interest-
ed may appear and contest the same, and
where any person interested may appear
and contest the same, and show cause if
they have any why said petition should
not be granted.

Dated, January 2, 1903.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By G. S. PIERCE, Deputy County Clerk.

JOHN W. STEINSON, 876 Broadway,
Oakland, California, attorney for petitioner.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE NO.

Amending Ordinance No. 1,996 fixing
salaries of certain employees of the City
of Oakland, approved August 1st, 1899.
Be it ordained by the Council of the
City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.
Section 15 of Ordinance No. 1,996 fixing
salaries of certain employees of the City
of Oakland, approved August 1st, 1899, is
hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 15. The salary of the Bacteri-
ologist of the Health Department is
hereby fixed at \$75 per month.

SECTION 2.
This ordinance shall take effect im-
mediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Dec. 26, 1902.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bishop, Courtney, Cu-
veller, Dornin, Fitzgerald, Wilson and
President pro tem Boyer—8.
Nays—None.

Attest: Cadman, Ruth and President
Schaffer—3.
Attest: ROD W. CHURCH, City Clerk.
Oakland, Dec. 27, 1902.
113-12-27-101.

ORDINANCE NO.

An ordinance authorizing the Board of
Police and Fire Commissioners to appoint
two additional detectives for the Police
Department of said City and fixing the
salaries of the same.

Be it ordained by the Council of the
City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.
The Board of Police and Fire Commis-
sioners is hereby authorized and empow-
ered to appoint two additional detectives
for service in the Police Department of
this City, such detectives to be under the
direction and control of the Chief of
Police, provided such detectives be ap-
pointed from members of the police force
as now constituted.

SECTION 2.
The salaries of such detectives shall be
at the rate of \$125 per month.

SECTION 3.
This ordinance shall take effect im-
mediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., Dec. 26, 1902.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bishop, Courtney, Cu-
veller, Dornin, Fitzgerald, Wallace and
President pro tem Boyer—7.
Nays—Mr. Wilson—1.

Attest: Cadman, Ruth and President
Schaffer—3.
Attest: ROD W. CHURCH, City Clerk.
Oakland, Dec. 27, 1902.
113-12-27-101.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In the Superior Court in and for the
County of Alameda, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate and Guard-
ianship of W. W. Foote Jr. and Enid
Foote, Minors.

Notice is hereby given that in pur-
suance of an order of the Superior Court
of the County of Alameda, State of Cal-
ifornia, made on the 19th day of Decem-
ber, 1902, in the matter of the estate of
W. W. Foote Jr. and Enid Foote, minors,
the undersigned, the guardians of the es-
tates of said minors, will sell at private
sale to the highest bidder, for cash, and
subject to confirmation by said Superior
Court, on and after THURSDAY, the 8th
day of JANUARY, 1903, all the right,
title, interest and estate of each of the
said minors, W. W. Foote Jr. and Enid
Foote, and of the estate of each one of
them, in and to an undivided one-thirtieth
interest each, in and to all that cer-
tain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate,
lying and being in the City of Oakland,
County of Alameda, State of California,
and bounded and particularly described
as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersec-
tion of the eastern line of Jackson
street, and the northern line of Third
street, and running thence northerly
along the said line of Jackson street one
hundred (100) feet; thence easterly paral-
lel with Third street one hundred and
twenty-five (125) feet; thence southerly,
parallel with said Jackson street, one
hundred (100) feet to the northern line of
Third street, and thence southerly along
the said line of Third street one hundred
and twenty-five (125) feet to the point
of commencement; being Lots Nos. 1, 2,
3, 4, 27 and 28 in Block No. 56, as said
lots and blocks are laid down, delineated
and so designated on Kellersberger's Map
of Oakland, on file and of record in the
County Recorder's office of said Alameda
County.

Offers or bids must be in writing and
will be received at the residence of the
undersigned, W. W. Foote, No. 1154 Brush
street, Oakland, California.

Terms and conditions of sale, cash.
Dated, Oakland, California, December
19th, 1902.

W. W. FOOTE,
Guardian of the estates of W. W. Foote
Jr. and Enid Foote, minors.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland,
Cal.

For the six months ending December
31, 1902, a dividend has been declared at
the rate of three and a quarter (3 1/4)
per cent per annum on all savings de-
posits, payable on and after January 2,
1903. Dividends not called for are added to
and bear the same rate of dividends as
the principal from January 1, 1903.

W. W. GARTHWAITHE, Cashier.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockhold-
ers of the First National Bank of Oak-
land, California, will be held on Tuesday,
January 13, 1903, at four o'clock P. M., at
the banking room, No. 1000 Broadway
street, Oakland, California.

By order of the Board of Directors,
F. E. BROWNING, President.
L. G. BURPEE, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Union Savings Bank, Oakland, Cal.
The annual meeting of the stockhold-
ers of the Union Savings Bank of Oak-
land, California, will be held at the
banking house, southeast corner of Ninth
street and Broadway, Oakland, Cal., on
Tuesday, January 13, 1903, at 10 o'clock
P. M.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockhold-
ers of the Central Bank will be held at
the office of the corporation, southeast
corner of Broadway and Fourteenth
streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January
13, 1903, at 3 o'clock P. M.

H. C. MORRIS, Cashier.

A ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the
Mountain View Cemetery Association will
be held in the parlors of the Central
Bank, northeast corner of Fourteenth
and Broadway, Oakland, California,
Wednesday, January 7, 1903, at 3 p. m.

H. F. KELLOGG, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of
The Home Security Oil Company
Limited.

The third annual meeting of the Home
Security Oil Company Limited, will be
held at 464 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal.,
on Thursday, the 15th of January, 1903 at
7:30 o'clock p. m.

D. P. HOCKING, Secretary.

Dated, Oakland, January 1, 1903.

Public Administrator's Report.

TO THE HONORABLE THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA:
B. C. HAWES, Public Administrator of Alameda County, California, respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands.
This return is for the time commencing July 1, 1902, and ending December 31, 1902, and the same is made in accordance with the provisions of Section 1284, Code of Civil Procedure of California.

Date of Issuance	Number of Estate	NAME OF DECEDENT.	Approximate Value of Estate as Far as Ascertained	Money Which Has Come Into the Hands of the Public Administrator	Fees, Expenses, Debits, Finally Allowed, Funeral Expenses Paid by the Public Administrator	Balance of Money on Hand	Administrators' Fees	Remarks
1899.								
April 3	6172	Sarah A. Sanderson	452 10	229 95	214 03	15 92	Unpaid/Pending	
April 3	6173	Charles W. Dearborn	9,085 00	53 50	58 50	None	Unpaid/Pending	
April 19	6192	Rebecca Jenkins	16,335 79	200 00	200 00	None	Unpaid/Pending	
May 11	6233	Mary C. Davis	371 95	371 95	341 28	30 67	Unpaid/Pending	
May 21	6234	Hannah Bailey	108 50	58 50	58 50	None	Unpaid/Pending	
June 6	6266	Anna Schumacher	2,860 67	560 67	506 16	54 51	Unpaid/Pending	
July 24	6324	L. Gillard	91 00	None	3 00 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
December 4	6501	E. S. Durkee, Sr.	650 00	None	2 10 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
1900.								
February 9	6614	Thomas A. Durning	976 12	226 12	221 62	4 50	Unpaid/Pending	
May 16	6639	Mary Keefe (special administration)	Unknown	28 50	28 50	None	None Term na	
October 18	6841	Johanna Fischer	4,610 13	2,056 16	551 85	1,604 31	Unpaid/Pending	
August 2	6880	William Gibbons	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
August 30	6912	William J. Field	Unknown	None	2 00 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
September 14	6916	William Gladstone Hanson	1,266 00	60 00	29 75	36 25	Unpaid/Pending	
August 27	6920	Patrick E. McMurray	797 16	197 16	205 58	43 80	Unpaid/Pending	
September 13	6930	Hans Lauritsen	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
1901.								
January 21	7064	John Israel	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
January 21	7065	Julius Simon	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
December 24	7081	Thomas Swanton	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
1901.								
February 12	7155	Alexander H. Mindt	82 90	92 90	None	None	6 50 Closed	
March 5	7156	Elizabeth Murphy	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
March 5	7204	Catherine D'Asonso Enos	Unknown	None	5 00 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
March 20	7215	L. Wolf	51 75	51 75	28 15	23 60	Unpaid/Pending	
May 1	7222	Naomi Wakefield	16,782 09	3,821 84	2,121 84	1,706 00	Unpaid/Pending	
April 12	7234	Clark Churchill	721 00	21 00	21 00	None	Unpaid/Pending	
May 13	7295	James A. Johnson	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
May 14	7343	Nicholas Schmitt	4,072 00	73 00	105 14	None	Unpaid/Pending	
July 1	7424	Henry G. Williams	701 00	701 00	701 00	None	Unpaid/Pending	
July 28	7449	Edward Welti	5,370 25	3,770 25	1,696 46	1,673 80	Unpaid/Pending	
August 28	7496	Louis Wanner	505 00	505 00	505 00	None	35 35 Closed	
September 23	7525	Mary Rogers	1,251 79	308 79	189 25	117 54	Unpaid/Pending	
September 21	7540	Samuel J. Shelper	2,348 55	362 55	206 76	155 79	Unpaid/Pending	
September 30	7557	Frances Anna Wilson	300 00	None	5 00 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
December 9	7568	William Baker	Unknown	75 00	73 00	2 00	11 44 Foreclosure	
December 27	7600	Luzia de Conceicao Siqueira	Unknown	3,558 00	1,960 24	1,637 76	Unpaid/Pending	
December 27	7629	Owen Murray	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
December 9	7649	Mary Hughes Robinson	57 00	57 00	57 00	None	3 99 Closed	
December 9	7657	Hugh Connell	1,263 01	1,263 01	922 13	340 88	33 16 Closed	
1902.								
January 14	7658	Jesse O. Norton	Unknown	52 00	52 00	None	20 00 Closed	
1901.								
December 23	7671	Alfred T. Sanger	2,202 50	402 50	402 50	None	50 00 Settled—Balance paid to Heir	
December 27	7683	Mary Whittaker	166 31	166 31	166 31	None	11 64 Closed	
December 27	7689	Eugene Freemery	2,332 12	332 12	351 10	None	Unpaid/Pending	
1902.								
February 3	7719	Andrew Olsen	73 65	73 65	32 00	41 65	Unpaid/Pending	
January 14	7727	Anna Margaret Mortenson	561 31	561 31	561 31	None	39 25 Closed	
March 17	7728	Joao Ignacio Rosa	582 96	582 96	278 46	304 50	Unpaid/Pending	
February 3	7740	Richard Gordon	2,270 00	11 00	11 00	98 76	Unpaid/Pending	
February 3	7741	Oliver Finerty	75 60	75 60	75 60	None	5 30 Closed	
February 3	7764	William C. Gifford	2,832 10	2,832 10	1,011 59	1,820 51	Unpaid/Pending	
February 7	7770	Matthew King	2,210 95	2,210 95	215 75	99 20	Unpaid/Pending	
January 24	7797	David M. Griffin	100 00	100 00	100 00	None	15 50 Pending	
March 17	7798	Frank Maguire	103 25	103 25	101 85	1 40	Unpaid/Pending	
May 23	7822	Rosa Diaz Silva	Unknown	None	25 00 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
March 11	7827	Mary McKay	135 01	135 01	93 60	41 41	Unpaid/Pending	
April 13	7837	Arthur Wrayt Jee	39,423 71	6,356 34	716 40	5,639 94	Unpaid/Pending	
April 1	7837	August Weber	293 21	293 21	184 48	98 76	Unpaid/Pending	
April 1	7871	William T. Jenkins	713 85	713 85	306 35	407 50	Unpaid/Pending	
May 5	7899	Cord Rahmstorf	1,934 07	934 07	787 21	148 86	Unpaid/Pending	
April 21	7901	Celia Berrott (special administration)	Unknown	None	25 00 adv by Adm.	None	Unpaid/Pending	
May 13	7909	Celia Berrott	Unknown	491 00	457 80	32 20	Unpaid/Pending	
April 28	7915	Maria Jans (special administration)	Unknown	763 50	327 64	435 86	Unpaid/Pending	
May 23	7933	John H. Murray	850 77	810 77	380 46	221 32	46 55 Closed	
May 5	7941	H. B. Hayes	238 00	1 45	12 30	None	Unpaid/Pending	
May 5	7950	Susan Hudson	2,482 12	2,482 12	809 49	1,672 63	Unpaid/Pending	
May 5	7918	C. E. Stahn	5,132 27	5,132 27	548 25	4,584 02	Unpaid/Pending	
June 6	7973	Louisa Thompson	1,204 45	1,033 25	287 75	735 50	Unpaid/Pending	
June 6	7986	Gracienel DuPont	Unknown	None	3 03 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
June 2	7988	Doratha Paupitz (spec. administration)	Unknown	10 00	8 00	None	Unpaid/Pending	
June 2	7990	William Henry Butler	1,061 09	61 00	45 75	15 25	Unpaid/Pending	
June 27	8002	Fannie Lewis Scudder	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
June 27	8003	Henry Martyn Scudder	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
July 2	8024	John M. Griffin	Unknown	50 40	33 53	11 87	Unpaid/Pending	
June 23	8024	J. M. Griffin (special administration)	Unknown	17 65	None	17 15	None Balance paid to Adm.	
Letters not yet issued	8039	G. C. Gilmore	Unknown	40 00	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
August 7	8048	Martin Tyrell	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
August 7	8054	Jean Laporte	178 75	65 65	5 50	63 15	Unpaid/Pending	
August 21	8061	Mary J. Cregwell	167 51	167 51	22 60	145 00	Unpaid/Pending	
August 22	8070	William R. Bird	2,950 48	2,950 48	2,204 58	745 90	Unpaid/Pending	
August 22	8131	Richard Knushtott	1,042 40	555 90	192 36	853 54	Unpaid/Pending	
Letters not yet issued	8109	John Coffman	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
November 29	8112	Heiene Schmit	1,900 00	None	27 40 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
Letters not yet issued	8142	John Kane	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
October 7	8151	Mary Ellen Mason	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
November 3	8180	Lucy A. Roche	Unknown	67 25	50 00	86 75	Unpaid/Pending	
November 3	8181	Thomas N. Lenihan	155 00	155 00	30 30	124 70	Unpaid/Pending	
November 3	8202	Harrison Gregson	Unknown	104 00	23 00	81 00	Unpaid/Pending	
November 10	8203	Elizabeth Bliss Carman	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
November 10	8204	Frank W. Carman	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
November 10	8210	C. A. Williams	615 84	615 84	3 60	612 24	Unpaid/Pending	
November 10	8203	Anna Bernhardt	Unknown	10,727 35	10,783 31	145 40	Unpaid/Pending	
November 10	8228	William Ellis (special administration)	Unknown	2,167 50	188 44	1,979 06	Unpaid/Pending	
December 29	8251	George H. Barrett	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
December 29	8276	Karen Helde	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
December 29	8286	John Reed	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
Letters not yet issued	8286	John Reed	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
Letters not yet issued	8291	James Ritchie	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
Letters not yet issued	8292	E. J. Bode	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	
Letters not yet issued	8296	James Suter	Unknown	None	55 00 adv by adm	None	Unpaid/Pending	
June 17	4166	William Leslie (Special administration)	Unknown	None	None	None	Unpaid/Pending	

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Canned fruits— 20c 3 for 50c
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Our bottling—rich natural flavor
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Castile soap—French 35c 25c
Lots of white thick lather—large bars

Canned peas— 20c 3 for 50c
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Just the tenderness of the fish—
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White jars—wholesome preserve

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Black and golden variety

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Hot cakes and maple syrup—to 10 lb sack

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Rich flavor—porcelain jar

Pimientos morrones—25c 20c
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Whisky— bot \$1 50 \$1 15
Old Scotch bourbon—
old and reliable gal 45 4 50

Whisky— full quart \$1 45 \$1 15
Glenlivet rye—
10 years' old gal 45 4 50

Whisk broom—7 inches 25c 20c
Selected straw—
double 8 inches 30c 25c

Tooth brush—French 25c 20c
Fine quality

Hamamelis— quart 40c
Extract witch-hazel—1 pt 15c pt 25c

Cigars

Victoria de Colon—regal
Victoria—clear Havana cigar—
box of 100—regly \$10

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MEMORIAL SERVICES AT ST. PAULS

A memorial service for the late Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in St. Paul's Church. There will be a celebration of the holy communion and the bishop of the diocese will preach the memorial sermon.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

METROPOLE—W. H. Powers, San Francisco; W. H. Borden and wife, Mrs. A. M. Hoff, San Jose; E. D. Morris, Racine; Geo. D. Hildebrand and wife, St. Louis.

BELLIN—Thos. Love, San Francisco; J. W. Scott and wife, W. G. Scott and wife, W. Rolley, San Jose; W. H. Raymond, J. H. Edwards, city; W. E. Smith, San Lorenzo; Horace J. Craft, C. E. Anderson, Miss J. Collins, city; John W. Von Henrich and wife, W. Magill, W. Hoffman, St. Louis; E. R. Rowe, Chicago; Geo. E. Fish and wife, Spokane.

BRUNSWICK—G. F. McCall, Mr. Smith and wife, Geo. Rowe, San Rafael; E. Carleton and wife, San Francisco; W. C. Money, Lexington; J. H. Fisher, San Francisco.

GALINDO—James Carndit, San Francisco; A. J. Ranta, Sacramento; E. L. Storey, El Paso; E. F. Virgil, New York; R. Chabot, Geo. Parsons, Vacaville; Geo. Davis, J. P. Plank and wife, H. C. Garner, San Francisco.

ALCATRAZ MASONS WILL INSTALL THEIR OFFICERS.

Next Saturday evening the installation of officers of Alcatraz Chapter, No. 82, R. A. M., for the ensuing year will take place in Alcatraz Masonic Hall. All of the Royal Arch Masons are invited to be present.

D. S. HIRSHBERG WILL ADDRESS THE JEWISH WOMEN COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Oakland section of the Jewish Women Council is to be held next Thursday evening in the vestry rooms of the Synagogue. D. S. Hirschberg will address the meeting.

BIRTHS REPORTED.

A daughter was born to the wife of Joseph Fratus of 6350 San Pablo avenue on December 26.
A son was born to the wife of Harry Chapman of 490 Thirtieth street on December 27.
A daughter was born to the wife of George H. Master of 1225 Grove street on December 28.
A daughter was born to the wife of O. M. McCoon of 1505 Market street on December 24.
A daughter was born to the wife of Thomas Brooks of 217 Sixth street on December 25.
A son was born to the wife of Henry Anz on December 19.
A son was born to the wife of Oscar Engstrom of 5899 Freeman street on December 22.
A son was born to the wife of L. P. Jones of 755 Webster street on December 13.

PERKINS A SURE WINNER AT SACRAMENTO.

Majority Has Signed Caucus Call—Progress of the Alameda County Legislators— Notes of the Session.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 4.—Senator George C. Perkins will be elected to succeed himself as Senator of the United States from California.

This fact was established tonight by the formal announcement of George F. Hutton, who has successfully managed the Senator's campaign, that 62 Senators and Assemblymen had signed a call to caucus with regard to the Senator's re-election. As a consequence, that caucus will be held in the Assembly Chamber, and the holding of the same means the re-election of Senator Perkins when both houses meet in joint session, which will be in the week following the organization of the Legislature.

There are 120 members in the Legislature, 80 Assemblymen and 40 Senators. A majority of the joint ballot of both houses, namely 61 votes, at the lowest, is necessary to elect. As 62 names were signed to the call, the lowest possible majority has been exceeded by one, and as a consequence there need no longer be any suspense as to the result. It is now simply a question as to how many more names will be signed to the call, although no more are needed. The impression prevails that the election of the Senator will be practically unanimous.

A DESERVED VICTORY.

This is an announcement which will be received all over the State with feelings of satisfaction—first, because the honor of re-election of Senator Perkins was deserved, and, next, because of the intelligent, earnest and energetic manner in which his campaign was conducted by George F. Hutton.

PARTISAN RIVALRY.

Despite the fact, however, that Senator Perkins merited re-election, there were those who felt that they had a right, which of course they had, to aspire to the position he held. To these the Senator's life of activity, sturdy honesty and rugged good nature, his services as chief executive of the State and his ceaseless efforts in the Upper House of Congress in behalf of the State he has loved so were as naught. All these had to be forgotten and the dutiful servant had to be rebuked as unworthy of trust and as one disqualified for his position.

Such, however, was not the desire of the people. The rebuke, instead, came from them and was administered through their representatives in the call for the caucus referred to.

JOY IN THE HOTELS.

As soon as the formal announcement of the result of Manager Hutton's work had been made there was joy among the thronged halls and public assemblage places in all the hotels. The news extended along the streets and was greeted with expressions of satisfaction by all who were discussing the coming session of the Legislature and especially the chances of Senator Perkins's success.

MANY TELEGRAMS.

Messages containing information as to the result of the campaign were sent by Manager Hutton to the Senator in Washington and the Senator's friends in various parts of the State. In reply to these came telegrams of congratulation and kindly expressions of continued success in his public position of Senator.

BLOW INFLICTED.

The success of the Senator has given a cruel blow to machine politicians and aspiring partisans, who seem at times to be deluded with the idea that all that is necessary to get boosted into office is simply to announce the fact that they are willing to have the highest honors conferred on them.

The blow was especially felt by Martin Kelly of San Francisco, who had put himself forward as favoring a nameless dark horse.

The news reached Kelly a few minutes after it reached the streets, and about an hour after he had arrived in this city for the purpose of carrying on his work of opposition. When Kelly arrived at the Capital Hotel, however, he found nobody waiting to meet him. He registered and went to his room. He made his appearance again on the street, and the first news he received was that of the preferment of Perkins by the people.

RESULT NEVER DOUBTED.

No matter what certain good Republicans may have felt regarding Senator Perkins' candidacy, the vast majority of the people of the State never doubted his success. They felt that he would be elected because he had so worked for the people as to deserve re-election.

This sentiment in a noticeable way pervaded the atmosphere in and around the political heart of this city. Notwithstanding that this was what is

known in legislative parlance as a "Senatorial year," which means a year of political intrigue, the ear-chewing and button-holing of legislators about the hotels and the Capital, there was not the slightest indication that the prospective vacancy of a seat in the United States Senate was about to be filled. A more listless throng never assembled in the hotel rotundas of the Capital. The headquarters of the Senator had its quota of visitors, it is true, but the lotterers did not hang about in expectancy, doubt and fear. They called to pay their respects to the Senator and his manager and then went about their business.

The fact was apparent that there was never any competitor in the race with Senator Perkins, even though such a man as Irving M. Scott of San Francisco was mentioned in that connection.

At a late hour State Senator Devlin of this city allowed his name to be used as an aspirant for the place. He might have received a complimentary vote from the Sacramento legislators, but no election.

EARLY ORGANIZATION.

The settlement of the Senatorial question removes one block in the way of the speedy transaction of business by the Legislature, because it does away with the dreary and wearying duty of taking joint ballots day by day almost ad infinitum. The date of the election cannot now be definitely stated. This is based upon the possible and probable organization of the Legislature tomorrow. Such a desideratum took place four years ago. It has been rendered possible by the removal of a second block, which in this instance was a contest over the organization of the House of Representatives.

HOUSE CONTEST.

This contest attracted twice the attention and aroused a much more ardent rivalry than did the Senatorial canvass. The aspirants for Speaker of the House were Arthur Flisk of San Francisco and F. E. Dunlap of Stockton. Each had a number of warm adherents and each claimed that he was sure of success. Dunlap claimed 37 votes, but tonight it was shown conclusively that Flisk had corralled 38 votes. Of course that aggregate of votes could not be gotten in a house where there are only 60 members, but the 38 votes for Flisk will stand. Tomorrow morning the House will go into caucus for Speaker and presumably on patronage, and Flisk will be elected Speaker. This caucus has been called at the instance of Dunlap, but it was signed by members of the House without respect to their being for or against either of the candidates. Of the Alameda county members of the House Messrs. Mattos, Bates, Walsh, Mott and Bliss declared they would vote for Flisk. Dr. Foster said both Flisk and Dunlap were friends of his and each was unobjectionable. Will Waste said that he had not been tied up to either Flisk or Dunlap.

NO CONNECTION.

All the members of the Alameda county delegation expressed regrets over the attempt that had been made to connect the fight for the selection of Speaker of the House with the selection of Senator—in other words, that the friends of Flisk were also friends of Perkins, while on the contrary the friends of Dunlap were opponents of Perkins. They all claimed that they attached no importance to the charge, and some of them said they knew of friends of Flisk who had not signed the call for the Perkins caucus, as also friends of Dunlap who would vote for Perkins.

STATUTORY OFFICERS.

Besides the Speaker, a number of other statutory officers will have to be decided on in caucus. The same is true with respect to the Senate, the President pro tem. of which will undoubtedly be Senator Thomas Flint, who has often discharged the duties of the place. Lou Martin of Oakland, the present incumbent, will be re-elected to the position of Sergeant-at-Arms. He has practically no opposition. Joe McCall, formerly a well known resident of Oakland and now of San Francisco, who is the present capable incumbent, will be his own successor. For the position of Secretary of the Senate Franklin Brandon of San Jose and Fred Thomas of the same place are candidates. Brandon has had years of experience in the position. Thomas, however, has the support of the Senators from San Jose, namely O'Neal and Shortridge.

NEEDED LEGISLATION.

Members of the Alameda county delegation will interest themselves this session in a number of new bills required by various interests and the people in Alameda county and other parts of the State.

Senator Lukens, it is understood, after a conference with leading members of the bench and bar, will introduce amendments looking to the relief of the strain on the business of the Supreme Court, which has been affected in a very annoying manner by the laws now in force.

Senator Lukens will also give a great deal of attention to the financial assistance of the University of California, supplying it with money for the further extension and effectiveness of its course and supplying it with permanent buildings, one especially in place of the old North Hall.

Senator Lukens was chairman at the last session of the County Government Committee. The bill which this committee fathered has since been tested several times in court and has withstood the test. As a consequence there will be little work presumably to be done by that committee this session. The Senator was also on the Judiciary, the Corporation, the Apportionment and Education Committees. It is understood that he will be appointed on several important committees, and among them that on Judiciary, on which he can be of special assistance.

Senator Frank Leavitt knows almost every person among the throng who are frequenting the haunts of legislators. He is hailed on every corner and every person has a kindly word for him and this is reciprocated by the Senator. This is an excellent proof of the wisdom of sending a man to the Legislature term after term, because it gives him a prestige which bears fruit in the enactment of needed legislation.

SENATOR KNOWLAND.

Senator Joseph Knowland will introduce a bill providing for the use of a ballot machine in elections, without naming any special machine. This bill will be fashioned after that of the State of New Jersey.

ASSEMBLYMAN MOTT.

Assemblyman Mott will introduce a bill extending the benefits of the eight-hour day to policemen. A law on this subject was approved in March, 1931, and referred only to San Francisco. It was later declared unconstitutional by Judge Hebard. It is now proposed to re-enact the law with amendments making it applicable to cities of the first, first and a half and second classes, which would include San Francisco, Los Angeles and Oakland. He will also introduce an amendment to the ballot, striking out the clause relating to distinguishing marks, which has caused so much trouble recently.

Another bill will provide for the payment into the city treasury of fines now collected from people found guilty of State misdemeanors in the police courts of cities. These fines are now paid into the county treasury, although the expense of prosecution and imprisonment are borne by the cities. In this manner, Oakland loses about \$300 a month.

WILLIAM WASTE.

Assemblyman Waste will introduce bills looking after the welfare of the University of California. In this way \$250,000 for maintenance outside of the taxation will be asked. This is the same that was appropriated two years ago. The State will also be asked to aid by the building of a new permanent building instead of North Hall, as a part of the enlarged plan of the new university on the plan paid for by Mrs. Hearst. The alumni are now considering means of making the support of the university perpetual instead of coming every two years to the Legislature. This project is opposed by some on the ground that the appeals for assistance keep the university in touch with the people.

Mr. Waste, as a representative of the State Mutual Building and Loan Association, will ask for an amendment enabling the business to be carried on in a more satisfactory manner to all parties interested.

Mr. Waste will strive to secure a place on the Ways and Means, Judiciary and Banks and Banking Committees.

JOHN A. BLISS.

Assemblyman Bliss will ask for an appropriation of \$15,000 for a new shop at the Home of the Industrial Blind in Oakland costing \$15,000. The old shop is half a wreck and dangerous. He will also ask for repairs to the Blind Home, costing about \$25,000. He will also urge a bill for pure food and ask an appropriation for the inspection of dairies. This last-mentioned bill will be asked

for by the State Dairy Bureau.

DR. FOSTER.

Dr. Foster is particularly interested in education and will introduce a bill on compulsory education. This will ask for an appropriation for the establishment of schools for truant and incorrigible children, in which teachers will be employed with special fitness to correcting such wayward young folks. The project would give one such school to cities like Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

ASSEMBLYMAN WALSH.

Assemblyman Walsh will introduce a bill providing for eight hours as a legal day's work. A law on this subject was passed at the last Legislature, but was declared unconstitutional. In the proposed enactment the defect in the original has been overcome.

He will also introduce another bill placing shorthand reporters of the Superior Court on a salary. Such a bill was passed at the last session, but was knocked out by the Supreme Court because it did not declare that the shorthand reporters in question were county officers. This defect has been remedied.

ASSEMBLYMAN MATTOS.

Mr. Mattos will introduce a bill requiring, as is the case in Oregon, two people who can read and write to witness an instrument signed by a person who can neither read nor write. One of the two witnesses may be a notary.

Mr. Mattos would prefer of the several committees he was on last term to be appointed on Roads and Highways, because it is the only one of them in which he can be of benefit to his district.

ASSEMBLYMAN BATES.

Assemblyman Bates at first will introduce a bill providing for the reimbursement of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company for \$10,000 for goods damaged on a wharf in San Francisco. This money will come out of the Harbor Commissioners' Fund.

REVOLUTIONISTS ARE ADVANCING

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—According to the Herald's correspondent in Willemstad the revolutionists are advancing in three columns on General Castro's army.

A desperate fight occurred Saturday night within eight miles of the city of Caracas, resulting favorably to the revolutionists. They are cutting all the telegraph lines, tearing up the railroad tracks, and are hourly expected in the immediate neighborhood of the city. A condition of extreme panic prevails among those who have heretofore believed that Castro was invincible.

A committee of the most prominent citizens has gone to President Castro and made representations of how hopelessly untenable is his position. But he insists on holding on until his forces are defeated in a decisive battle. It seems that this cannot be far distant. President Castro is already planning what he shall do when the inevitable comes, but he will make a desperate fight before quitting as he has no chance to escape. The only alternative is imprisonment.

The correspondent adds that no attempt is now being made by allies to conceal the fact that they are affording assistance to the revolutionists.

COTTON MILLS REDUCES TIME

The California Cotton Mills Company has voluntarily reduced the hours of labor in its factory at Twenty-third avenue from ten to nine a day. This change, which is effective today, means a benefit to 500 operatives. It comes as a New Year's gift of double worth, because the employees have made no demand nor have given any intimation that they were not content with the ruling schedule as to time and wages.

State Organizer C. D. Rogers of the American Federation of Labor has effected the organization of the cotton mill workers into a local union 380. United Textile Workers of America. About 300 of the 500 employees of the cotton mills, including practically all adults, joined the union. Those not affiliated are boys and girls, not eligible to membership.

The officers of the union are: M. J. McGowan, president; P. Spaulding, vice-president; Ed. Johnston, recording secretary, and S. H. Patton, treasurer. A charter has been received from the national organization.

FAST SERVICE FOR NORTH SHORE ROAD

Having expended about \$1,000,000 in improvements, the North Shore Railroad announces that a faster train service will be put into operation next Sunday. According to the new time card being prepared passengers will be enabled to travel between San Francisco and San Rafael in an hour. The time between San Francisco and Cazadero will be reduced half an hour. The speed of all local trains will be increased by from five to twenty minutes.

The local system between Sausalito, Mill Valley, Fairfax and San Rafael will be operated as a third-rail electric line, commencing May 1st. Two new ferry boats are being built and plans are being prepared for the construction of a tunnel 3,000 feet long through White's Hill. A large part of the money expended has been in ballasting the track bed.

CARRIE ROMA SINGS IN CHURCH

Mrs. Carrie Roma Northey Douglas, who as Miss Carrie Roma, won success in opera, sang yesterday in the First Presbyterian Church, where ten years ago she was the soprano in the choir. She is in Oakland now for a year's rest after years of absence as a concert and opera singer in foreign countries and through the States. She sang two numbers, one a solo and one with Clement Rowlands, the baritone of the choir, and afterward was cordially greeted by her old associates. Mrs. Douglas is a great favorite in Oakland.

BRIBERY CHARGES MAY NOW BE INVESTIGATED.

ASSEMBLYMAN WALKER SAYS HE WAS OFFERED MONEY TO VOTE AGAINST SENATOR PERKINS.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 4.—The stories and charges which were circulated in Oakland a few days ago, regarding the alleged use of money for the purpose of purchasing votes on the Senatorial election, were recalled by a story which was told here tonight to the effect that a tender of money had been made to an Assemblyman for the purpose of preventing him from voting for Senator Perkins.

The Assemblyman who made the charge is G. S. Walker of Los Gatos. He claimed that, several days ago, an attorney, whom he knew, called on him and offered to give him \$1500 if he would vote against Senator Perkins, and for a candidate for Senator whom he (the attorney) would later name.

The attorney is also reported to have said that if Walker was tied up with Perkins, he would give him (Walker) \$500 more if he (Walker) would cast a vote for Dunlap as against Flisk, Speaker of the House.

Walker declared that he spurned the offer.

He also stated that Assemblyman Marshall Black of Palo Alto and Eli Wright of San Jose had had similar offers made to them.

The two Assemblymen, last mentioned, denied that they had been approached by the alleged briber.

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